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IN THE BEE TO-DAY

WEATHER.

The local forecast for to-day is clear and warm. For Wednesday, cloudy, warmer, with rain in the evening.

Observer Hagen says: "A storm of great energy has developed in Canada and is now north of Dakota. Dangerous southwest winds are expected to-day on Lake Michigan and to-night and to-morrow morning on the lower lakes. A warm wave is in advance of this storm. The temperature here will be above freezing for the next two days.

"The range in temperature is very small throughout the United States to-day, being only 20 degrees. Clear weather prevails, except north of the 44 paralel, where the storm influence is felt. The highest temperature here yesterday was 33 degrees; the lowest this morning was 23 degrees.

"The storm signal is flying at all lake ports this morning for a southwest gale."

Forecast for western New York, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois—Warmer, fair, southwesterly winds.

For Michigan—Threatening weather and light rains on Wednesday; warmer; southwesterly winds.

For Wisconsin—Warmer, fair, and brisk southwesterly winds till Wednesday morning; threatening weather on Wednesday.

Stations.	Wind.	Tem.	Vel.
Buffalo, cloudy	SW	30	30
Cleveland, clear	S	26	18
Toledo, clear	SW	26	16
St. Louis, clear	SW	32	12
Kansas City, clear	SW	32	12
Moorhead, cloudy	W	28	12
Bismarck, fair	SW	36	lt
St. Vincent, cloudy	W	36	22
Minnedosa, cloudy	W	34	20
St. Paul, cloudy	SE	28	10
Des Moines, clear	SW	30	24
Alpena, cloudy	SW	28	12
Sault Ste Marie, cloudy	SW	32	16
Chicago, cloudy	SW	26	36
Indianapolis, clear	S	26	10

LOCAL.

The police chasing crooks.
In the United States court.
Topics in local labor circles.
Coroner Roulet a busy man.
Monster fair for Grace church.
Decision in the Clover Leaf case.
With Toledo clubs and societies.
Short meeting of the gas trustees.
Toledo boy hustling in Cincinnati.
Lucas lodge does some good work.
Lozier & Yost dissolve partnership.
Improvement bonds are not bid for.
Railroad happenings of local interest.
Theatrical attractions, here and coming.
Board of councilmen's session last night.
The board of education talks business.
Gen. Kountz caught on the fly at Columbus.
Coakley held for murder; two others as accessories.
T. P. Brown secures the chamber of commerce building.
Organization of the park board; report of the outgoing secretary.
Mr. Backus the subject of a report from the gas trustees' finance committee.

UNITED STATES.

Doings of congress.
Explosion in a Buffalo mill.
The silver question in congress.
Crisp chosen for speaker of the house.
Major Overman averted in Washington.
Gov. Boyd's case before the supreme court.
The Ohio senatorial battle taken up again.
Disastrous blaze in the Columbus city prison.
Cheyenne Indians reported to be on the warpath.

FOREIGN.

Chilian affairs.
Russian methods of loaning money on grain.

CASE OF GOVERNOR BOYD.

It Is Before the Supreme Court To-Day.

Briefs in the Case Which Are Attracting Much Attention All Over the Country—Boyd's Claim Plainly Stated

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Boyd-Thayer case, involving the question of the title to the office of governor of Nebraska, and of citizenship on the part of Boyd, came up for argument in the United States supreme court to-day. The question at issue is as to whether or not James E. Boyd was a citizen of the United States at the date of election. Briefs of counsel have been filed.

J. C. Cowin, attorney for Boyd, in his brief, maintains that his client became a citizen by virtue of the admission of Nebraska as a state, he being an inhabitant of the territory of Nebraska and a member of its constitutional convention. He contends that the organic act of admission by providing that the state should be admitted "upon an equal footing with the original states in all respects whatsoever, together with the authority conferred upon "the inhabitants" of Nebraska territory to form a state constitution, operated as a naturalization and admission to citizenship of all persons in the territory capable of acquiring United States citizenship under the general policy of the government.

Henry D. Estabrook, also attorney for Boyd argued that Boyd became a citizen through the relation back to the time of declaration of independence, of the granting in 1800 of final naturalizaion papers to Boyd's father, and that the completed transaction takes effect as of the date of declaration, 1849. Naturalization, he held, was in the nature of a contract in which the granting of final papers constituted an acceptance on the part of the government. He also argued that the conscription act of 1863 making all persons who had declared their intention to become citizens of the United States amenable to military duty, had the effect of conferring citizenship upon James E. Boyd and his father. The concession of entire honesty to Boyd in the belief that he was a citizen, has reiterated oaths of allegiance to the United States and to the constitution, and his patriotic conduct through life, are noted as circumstances justifying the court in invoking the doctrine of relation. The decision in the case of Swinburne, which was decided to the contrary, Mr. Estabrook ascribes to sectional prejudices, which perhaps unconsciously allied to influence the court.

The brief in behalf of Thayer was prepared by John F. Darmon, John T. Webster and Joseph H. Blair. Broadly stated, they base their assertion of want of citizenship in Boyd on the ground that an alien cannot grow into citizenship by belief or faith and by assuming to act as a citizen. They cite that the case of Dryden and Swinburne from West Virginia, in which the circumstances are substantially identical with those in the case of Boyd, and which the court held that record proof of naturalization was necessary, and the doctrine of relation could not apply to matters if naturalization. There are many things, they say, necessary after declaring of intention made requisite before naturalization papers can issue. Collective naturalization, they maintain, can apply only where congress makes express provision therefor, as it did when Florida and Louisiana were ceded to the United States. In those cases the inhabitants would have no citizenship if not citizens of the United States, whereas inhabitants of territories are citizens of the United States regardless of the state's admission to the union.

RAILROAD CHANGES.

New York, Dec. 8.—It is officially announced by the Erie management that Mr. D. I. Roberts, at present assistant general passenger agent in Chicago, will succeed Mr. W. C. Rinearson as general passenger agent with headquarters in New York, taking effect to-day.

DONE TO A CRISP.

Work of the Democratic Caucus Over.

The Georgian Won the Race for the Speakership.

Yoder Will be the Sergeant-at-Arms.

Kerr, of Pennsylvania, Selected as Clerk.

Exciting Scenes as the Balloting Narrowed Down to the Two Leaders in the Great Contest —Springer Gave Crisp His Winning Vote.

Washington, Dec. 8.—When the caucus adjourned yesterday afternoon Crisp had 101 votes, Mills 95, McMillan 19, Springer 12, Stevens 1.

At 7:30 p. m. Mr. Springer and his 12 sturdy supporters held a secret conference at which Mr. Springer thanked his followers for their loyal support and stated his belief that either Mr. Crisp or Mr. Mills must be elected. "You gentlemen have been loyal to me," said he, "you have made sacrifices for me and it is now my time to be loyal to you. I am prepared now to throw my influence and vote for either of the candidates that you gentlemen may desire to support as a unit. And I will do that with the positive understanding with the man we may elect that I want nothing, that I ask nothing for myself, but that my friends must be well treated. (Applause.) I leave you now, gentlemen to decide upon the candidate you desire to support as your second choice and my vote and influence is at your disposal." (Applause.)

After Mr. Springer's withdrawal the delegation discussed briefly the questions of policy and finally decided that they would not avail themselves of Mr. Springer's generosity, but that they would leave him entirely free to vote as he desired on the decisive candidate and that they would each do the same.

From now on Mr. Springer was greatly in demand. He was in turns importuned by Mr. Crisp, by Congressman Johnson, of the Mills following, and by Col. C. H. Jones, the editor of the St. Louis Republic, but the amount of solace and encouragement he gave either or any of them could not be learned. That most of Mr. McMillin's followers were decidedly pledged to a second choice when he should withdraw and that Mr. Springer and his immediate friends held the key to the situation was the general opinion and the first ballot of the evening was awaited with breathless interest.

The first change came when the name of Durbarrow, one of Mr. Springer's Illinois supporters, was reached. That gentleman voted for Crisp and a few minutes later another of Springer's Illinois friends also voted for the Georgian candidate, Messrs. Babbitt and Miller, of Wisconsin, two of the other friends of Mr. Springer, went to the Mills forces, so that the twenty-eighth ballot gave Crisp 103, Mills 96, McMillan 19, Springer 3 and Stevens 1.

Mr. Capehart, a Mills man, was sick and absent from the evening session. Mr. Crisp was now within 11 votes of a nomination, but McMillan's 19 men were still unmoved and no election was possible while they remained loyal to the Tennessee candidate.

During all this time Mr. McMillan had been holding frequent conferences with his colleagues and had left his headquarters and stationed himself in the lobby in the rear of the house. On the following ballot there was one change that was fraught with ominous portent for the candidacy of Mr. Mills. Mr. Stahlnecker, who had been steadily voting for Mr. Mills, changed to Mr. Crisp. Mr. Babbitt, of Wisconsin, returned to Mr. Springer, so that the twenty-ninth ballot resulted as follows: Crisp 104, Mills 94, McMillan 19, Springer 9, Stevens 1.

At the beginning of the thirtieth ballot and before the call had begun, Mr. McMillan, who had been standing in the rear lobby, entered the hall. Instantly there was a burst of applause as this was an unerring indication that the gentleman from Tennessee was to withdraw from the contest.

Mr. McMillan obtained recognition from the chair, and thanking his followers for their loyal and constant support, formally withdrew from the contest amid applause.

As the ballot proceeded the followers of the Tennessee candidate began to scatter. Messrs. Covert, Enloe and Kyle went to Mr. Mills and Mr. Washington to Mr. Crisp. When the name of McMillan was called that gentleman voted for Mr. Mills.

Changes now came in rapid succession and at the conclusion of the ballot Mr. Crisp stood with 114 votes and Mr. Mills with 108. The Georgia candidate was one short of a nomination, with Mr. Springer and his little band of followers holding the balance of power. It remained to the Illinois leader to say who should be the speaker of the Fifty-second congress.

Great applause greeted Mr. Springer as he entered the hall. There was a breathless pause as Mr. Springer proceeded to his little group of supporters and shaking hands all around thanked each for his loyal support. The house applauded this graceful little act, and when Mr. Springer asked recognition from the chair and prepared to vote the suspense was more than painful. "I desire," said Mr. Springer, "to be recorded as voting for Mr. Crisp."

The vote of Mr. Springer nominated Mr. Crisp, and the applause which greeted its announcement was deafening. A dozen members rushed simultaneously to grasp the Illinoisan's hands, and he was the recipient of an enthusiastic ovation from the supporters of Mr. Crisp.

Messrs. Busey and Stewart, of Illinois, and Hilman, of Indiana, followed their candidate, and after Mr. Springer's withdrawal voted with him for Mr. Crisp. Messrs. Snow, of Illinois, Bryan, of Nebraska, and Martin and Patton, of Indiana, remained on the record as voting for Mr. Springer, so that the result of the final and decisive ballot was as follows: Crisp 119, Mills 103, Springer 4, and Stevens 1.

The Vote in Detail.

For Crisp—Messrs. Alderson, Alexander, Allen, Amerman, Bacon, Bankhead, Beeman, Beltzhoover, Bently, Blanchart, Blount, Branch, Bullock, Bunn, Busey, Byrnes, Cadmus, Campbell, Castle, Catchings, Clark (Ala.), Cobb (Ala.), Colckran, Campton, Cowles, Crawford, Cummings, Daniell, Donovan, Dungan, Danphy, Durbarrow, Edmunds, Elliott, Ellis, English, Epes, Everett, Fellows, Fitch, Forney, Fowler, Gantz, Geissenhainer, Gillespie, Goodnight, Gorman, Grady, Greenleaf, Hallowell, Hatch, Hames, Hemphill, Henderson (N. C.), Herbert, Holman, Houk (Ohio), Johnstone, Jones, Kribbs, Lawson (Va.), Lawson, (Ga.), Layton, Lester (Va.), Lester (Ga.), Lewis, Little, Livingston, Mallery, McAleer, McClellan, McDonald, McCann, McNeig, McRae, Montgomery, Moses, Oates, Outhwaite, Owens, O'Ferrall, Page (R. I.), Page (Md.), Pattison, Paynter, Peel, Pendleton, Pierce, Price, Rayner, Reilly, Richardson, Robertson, Rockwell, Rusk, Shell, Shively, Springer, Stackhouse, Stahlnecker, Stevens, Steward (Ill.), Stockdale, Stout, Stump, Tarsney, Tillman, Turner, Turpin, Van Horn, Warwick, Washington, Weadock, Wheeler (Ala.), Whiting, Williams (N. C.), Wilson (Mo.), Winn—119.

For Mills—Messrs. Abbott, Andrew, Arnold, Babbitt, Bailey, Barwig, Bland, Boatner, Bowman, Brawley, Breckenridge, (Ark.,) Breckenridge, (Ky.,) Bretz, Brickner, Brookshire, Brown, Brunner, Bunting, Bushnell, Butler, Bynum, Cable, Caminetti, Caruth, Cate, Causey, Chapin, Chipman, Clancy, Cobb, (M.,) Coburn, Coolidge,, Commbs, Cooper, Covet, Cox, (N. Y.,) Cox, (Tenn.,) Crain, Crosby, Culberson, Dearmond, Deforest, Dickerson, Dickson, Dockery, Enloe, Fithian, Forman, Geary, Hall, Hamilton, Hare, Harris, Hayes, Heard, Hoar, Hooker, (Miss.,) Johnson, (Ohio,) Kendall, Kilgore, Kyle, Lagan, Lane, Lanham, Lapham, Lockwood, Long, Lunch, Magner, Mansur, McCreary, McKinney, McMillan, Meyer, Miller, Mitchell, Moore, Mutchler, Newberry, Norton, O'Neill, (Mo.,) Parrett, Patterson, Pearson, Sayers, Scott, Seerly, Snodgrass, Sperry, Stewart, (Tex.,) Stone, (Ky.,) Terry, Tracey, Tucker, Warner, Wheeler, (Mich.,) White, Weke, Willcox, (W. Va.,) Wise, and Wolverton—105.

For Springer—Messrs. Bryan, Martin, Patton, and Shaw—4.

For Stevens, of Massachusetts—Mr. O'Neill—1.

On motion of Mr. J. D. Brown, of Indiana, the nomination of Mr. Crisp was made unanimous.

Immediately there were loud calls of "Crisp, Crisp," and a committee was appointed to notify the successful candidate of his selection and escort him to the chair. Applause and cheers greeted the appearance of the gentleman from Georgia, and after bowing his acknowledgments Mr. Crisp spoke as follows:

"Representatives, I am profoundly grateful for this mark of your confidence and esteem. I pledge myself here and now to devote whatever of industry and ability I possess to the advancement of the real interests of the democratic party (great applause). I beg to say to you now, as I speak to you my first words since I am your selection for speaker, that my election means no step backwards in tariff reform (prolonged applause and cheers). I beg to say to you that there is in our party to-day no man who more earnestly believes in the democratic doctrine of tariff reform than I do (renewed cheers and cries of "Bravo, bravo").

"After the long struggle through which we have passed, when representatives are fatigued, when other officers are to be nominated, it does not become me to consume your time. I beg to say, however, that during the progress of this canvass I have said no word respecting any individual which would at all justify him in having any harsh feeling of any kind against me, (Applause). I have felt that it was a friendly struggle. (Renewed applause.) I have felt that we were all democrats, and I felt that whoever might be chosen speaker, whenever this house meets and organizes, we stand as one body, working and laboring for a common cause—the principles of the democratic party. (Cheers.) I thank you again for your confidence and for your kindness, and assure you that this whole contest has left in my bosom no unkind feeling towards any member of the house." (Prolonged applause and cheers.)

Other Nominations.

The following nominations were then made: Mr. Kerr, of Pennsylvania, for clerk unanimously; Mr. Yoder, of Ohio, for sergeant-at-arms, unanimously, after it was seen that he was far in the lead of Murphy, of Iowa; Turner, of New York, for doorkeeper, by 178 votes to 27 for Fields, of Virginia, and 8 for Coit, of Connecticut; Dalton, of Indiana, for postmaster, by 122 to 20 for Wright, of North Carolina, 36 for Bartley, of Wisconsin, and 36 for McClammy, of North Carolina.

Then Mr. Springer, of Illinois, stated that he would not at this time present

Sergeant-at-Arms Yoder.

any candidate for chapiain, but that he would do so in open house to-morrow, and that he would renominate the old chaplain, Dr. Milburn, of Illinois.

So at 11:30 adjourned the caucus which in length and in its proceedings is the most memorable of any in the history of the house of representatives since the war.

Biographical.

A story was for a long time in circulation that Charles F. Crisp in his youth was an actor. It had its embellishments and circumstances were even related of how he was tempted to leave the stage for the bar, and yielded only after a hard struggle with himself.

The whole story, though very readable, is fiction. It grew out of the fact that Mr. Crisp's father was an actor, and a very good one, it is said. But the son never trod the boards. He was born in Sheffield, England, where his parents were temporarily living, but was brought to this country while still a child, and is a thorough Georgian in his education and entire bringing up.

He was admitted to the bar upon attaining his majority, and was at one time a common pleas and circuit judge. Afterwards he went into politics, and his success in that field has been so signal that he is now regarded as one of the democratic leaders in the south. Judge Crisp is entering upon his fifth term as a member of the house.

His experience on the bench has been of great service to him in his legislative career. This quality in him was strongly marked during the exciting times in the last house. Judge Crisp was often in the forefront of the minority's engagements with Speaker Reed, and at times led the opposition to the speaker, but he always carried himself with the utmost self-command. Mr. Reed could never, by any of the arts of fencing which he used so skilfully while in the chair, succeed in ruffling the calm and judicial spirit of the Georgia leader.

Judge Crisp while in congress has served with distinction on the election committee. He has had charge of the democratic side of all the important contested cases during the past six years, and in the last house, when so many democrats were unseated, his services in making clear the partisan action of the majority were recognized as of great value to his party.

Judge Crisp is a handsome man, of good figure, 45 years of age, and of kindly and companionable nature. Personally he is one of the most popular men in public life from the south.

At the age of 16 he enlisted as lieutenant in Company K, Tenth Virginia infantry of the confederate army, and served until made a prisoner of war, May 12, 1864. Upon his release from Fort delaware in June the following year, he joined his parents at Ellaville, Ga., and began the study of law. One year later he was admitted to the bar at Americus, his present home. Such was his success that in 1872 he was appointed solicitor-general of the southwestern judicial circuit and reappointed in 1873 for a term of four years. In June, 1877, he was made judge of the superior court of the same circuit, which position he held until September, 1882, when he resigned to accept the democratic nomination for congress.

In the House.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The crowd in the galleries when the house was called to order was as large as that of yesterday. Clerk McPherson called the house to order and after the reading of the journal Mr. Holman, of Indiana, chairman of the democratic caucus, moved to the election of a speaker. Agreed to.

Speaker Charles F. Crisp.

Mr. Holman nominated Charles F. Crisp, of Georgia. The brief nomination passed without applause, but when Mr. Henderson, of Illinois, chairman of the republican caucus, placed Mr. Reed in nomination there was applause among the republicans and in the galleries.

Mr. Jeremiah Simpson, of Kansas, nominated Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia, the alliance candidate.

Tellers were appointed and the vote began. When Mr. Mills and Mr. Springer voted for Crisp the democrats applauded. The tellers announced that Mr. Crisp had received 228 votes, Mr. Reed 83 and Mr. Watson 8 and that Mr. Crisp was duly elected. There was much applause on the democratic side.

The Clerk appointed Mr. Mills and Mr. Reed to escort Mr. Crisp to the chair, where Mr. Holman administered the oath of office. There was much handclapping and cheering.

Mr. Crisp on taking the chair thanked the representatives for the honor and said he would endeavor to discharge his duties with courtesy, firmness and impartiality, and added "let us unite in the hope that our labors here may result in the advancement of the prosperity, honor and glory of our beloved country." The speaker then called on Chaplain Milburn for prayer, after which the members were sworn in.

In the Senate.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Senator Jones of Arkansas, who was absent when his name was called yesterday, came forward and took the oath of office on his re-election.

The vice president laid before the senate the 29th annual report of the comptroller of the currency; the report of the superintendent of census and on the expediency of establishing a permanent census bureau, with a draft of a bill for the purpose prepared in accordance with a senate resolution of February last; the findings of fact of the court of claims in the French spoliation cases; the annual reports of Secretary McCook and Sergeant-at-Arms Valentine of the senate, and a number of petitions and memorials of state legislatures.

A question as to the priority of consideration of the contested cases from Florida and Idaho arose. The Florida case stood first on the list, but Mr. Hoar contended that as Mr. Dubois had the governor's credentials he had priority under the rules. This point was sustained and the oath was administered to the youthful looking senator, Mr. Dubois, without objection.

Senator Paddock, of Nebraska, escorted Mr. Dubois to the desk.

On the suggestion of Mr. Hoar, who said while there was, in his opinion, a very strong prima facie case in favor of the immediate seating of Mr. Call, of Florida, there were facts upon which it was perhaps desirable to have the committee on privileges and elections make a formal report.

The credentials of Mr. Davidson and all the papers in his case were referred to that committee.

Mr. Call was then sworn in without objection.

On motion of Mr. Hale a similar course was taken with regard to the papers in the contest of Mr. Claggett against Senator Dubois, of Idaho.

The senate at 12:35, on motion of Mr. Sherman, chairman of the caucus, took a recess until 2 p. m.

Secretary Foster's Condition.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Secretary Foster's condition shows decided improvement this morning. He rested well last night and sat up to eat his breakfast.

To Split the Pot.

Washington, Dec. 8.—(Special)—The democratic members of the Ohio delegation will meet to-night in pursuance to a call issued by Col. Haynes.

The object if the meeting is to settle the question of patronage and to give each congressman his share.

There are only 17 people here from Ohio who are applicants for places.

Mickey Shay on Deck.

Mickey Shay, the Toledo newsboy, has been provided for by Col. Haynes and Mickey is already onto the ropes.

CHILIAN AFFAIRS.

Minister Egan Has Some Backbone.

Santiago de Chili, Dec. 8.—A communication was sent to Minister Egan Saturday by the president of the chamber of deputies requesting permission to serve citations on the refugees now in the American legation, against whom indictments have lately been found by congress.

Mr. Egan wrote to Foreign Minister Matta asking him by what authority the president of the chamber of deputies sent such a communication to him. He said he did not recognize the right of the president to communicate with him except through the foreign office.

Senor Matta apologized, but made a similar request, to which Mr. Egan replied that the request was not admissible unless he received special instructions from his government, as the refugees were in the legation under extra territorial rights.

A large number of arms are missing from the barracks here, and it is feared that some conspiracy is on foot.

THE TELEPHONE CASE.

Boston, Dec. 8.—After two years spent in taking testimony, the cases of the United States against the Bell Telephone company to annul the Bell patent is believed to be completed and no more evidence will be taken for the present.

ARE READY FOR A RAID.

Cheyennes Preparing to Get Some Scalps.

Believed Porcupine Incited Them to Wrong Doing.

Lame Deer Agency, Which is Now Threatened With An Attack, is Without Any Means of Defense.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 8.—Sheriff Jones and Deputy C. H. Thompson have arrived at Miles City with one of the two Indians they arrested at Cheyenne agency for killing cattle.

The other prisoner escaped by jumping from a buckboard and making for cover. He reached the hills, though fired at several times. On the road subsequently the sheriff was overtaken by two Indian police with a message from Agent Tully that a number of braves had gone to the hills with the fugitive and had sent in word that they would fight and that an attack on the agency could be expected at any time.

The Cheyennes are dancing against the agent's orders. Agent Tully sent a dispatch Sunday night to the commanding officer of Fort Keogh, asking him to send troops, as an uprising is inevitable. The commander telegraphed department headquarters at St. Paul and last night orders were issued from there to send troops from Fort Keogh to the Cheyenne agency.

Since the order of the general land office allowing settlers who claimed prior rights on the reservation to make final proofs trouble has been feared.

Many settlers were in Miles City making final entries. The Indians heard of this and will use all means to drive settlers from the reservation. The Cheyennes are fierce fighters and serious trouble is looked for.

The Cheyenne agency, at which Agent Tully is stationed, is on the Lame Deer creek, about 40 miles from Fort Keogh. The Cheyennes on Tongue river under his charge number about 2,000. Porcupine, the famous leader of the ghost dance on the reservation last year, and the buck who made the pilgrimage to Wacker Lake to see the Messiah, lives near the agency.

It has been known for some time that the Cheyennes on Tongue river were restless because of the presence of squatters on the reservation and Gen. Miles and Capt. Baldwin have made repeated reports of danger of trouble arising from their squatting in the rich valleys of the Rosebud, the Tongue and the Lame Deer streams.

Lame Deer agency, which is now threatened with attack, is without any means for resisting an attack, Capt. Thorne's troops having moved from their dugout early last summer. The Twenty-second infantry is stationed at Fort Keogh.

THE BATTLE IN OHIO.

Senatorial Squabble is Now On in Earnest.

Foraker Marches on the State Capitol Only to Find Jake Donaldson Had Got There Ahead of Him.

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—The hotel lobbies and other political centers have presented a livelier appearance to-day than at any time since Major McKinley's election to the gubernatorial chair. The near approach of the next legislative session has had its effect, not only upon the senatorial enthusiasts, but also the candidates for subordinate positions in the general assembly, many of whom are coming in to buttonhole visiting legislators.

The presence in the city of a number of Senator Sherman's friends, and the arrival of ex-Governor Foraker has also caused an unusual ripple on the pool of politics. Ex-Governor Foraker is quartered at the Chittenden hotel, where he occupies the same room as that in which Major McKinley was entertained while here at intervals during his memorable gubernatorial campaign.

The ex-governor is here on legal business connected with the United States court, but much of the time since his arrival has been devoted to receiving his friends, who took advantage of his visit to pay their respects.

When asked how he felt in regard to the senatorial situation he replied in a happy, good-natured manner that it was giving him no uneasiness. He said the present status of affairs was highly satisfactory to him, and that he felt as confident of being victorious as he was of his existence.

The ex-governor spoke in the highest terms of Senator Sherman, but expressed himself as being of the opinion that the senator was being deceived by his friends.

At the Neil house, three blocks south, a crowd of Sherman men are congregated. Prominent among them was Attorney General Watson. In speaking of the senatorial contest, General Watson defined his position in a forcible manner. He was asked why he is for the re-election of Sherman, and this was his reply:

"It is sufficient to say that Mr. Sherman occupies a place in national affairs which no other man can fill. He is to Ohio what Webster was to Massachusetts, Benton to Missouri, Calhoun to South Carolina, and Clay to Kentucky. He is now in his intellectual and physical strength. The nation needs him in the United States senate and Ohio should keep him there. He is not a narrow man. He rises to the requirements in every respect of the broadest statesmanship. You can no more eliminate his genius and influence from the growth and prosperity of the republican party than you can eliminate the New Testament from the growth of Christianity. Mr. Sherman not only represents Ohio in the United States senate, but he, more than any other man, represents the United States. For these and many other reasons I favor his re-election."

Captain Jake Donaldson, Senator Sherman's lifelong friend, is at the Neil house. Captain Donaldson is the recognized manager of Senator Sherman's interests in the present contest, and a better man for that duty could not be found.

"Is there any change in the senatorial situation, captain?" "Well, we are strengthening our lines every day," replied the captain. "We are perfectly satisfied with present conditions, and there are no indications that we may have any cause for alarm in the future. I have been, from the first, sure that Mr. Sherman will be re-elected. As soon as the election was over, and a republican legislature was a certainty, I was satisfied that Mr. Sherman would remain at his post of duty for another term. Since that time nothing has occurred to shake my confidence or cause any friend of Mr. Sherman to feel less serene. The Foraker men, it is true, are now and then announcing converts to their cause, but their converts are men upon whose support we have never counted. All of our estimates are bed rock, and therefore we are meeting with no bitter disappointments as the contest progresses. Senator Sherman's supporters are men who will be true to the last."

A BLAZE IN COLUMBUS.

The City Prison Threatened With Destruction.

Firemen Save It After a Desperate Battle.

The Prisoners in the Cells Were Drenched by the Water But the Chief Refused to Remove Them—Much Excitement for a Time.

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—2:45 a. m.—The city prison is on fire. It will probably be a total loss. At 3 o'clock the police began to remove the prisoners to the county jail. The entire fire department is called out.

Columbus, O., Dec. 8.—8 a. m.—The fire spread through the two upper stories of the prison, and the volume of water thrown drenched the entire building, soaking the cell rooms beneath. Of the 111 prisoners 11 were females, and during the height of excitement it was thought best to turn these out. The female prisoners were let loose, and notwithstanding the cells were being drenched, the male prisoners, although they yelled lustily for liberty, were kept locked up. The firemen assured the police that there was no danger of the fire reaching the cell rooms and the police refused to let the male prisoners out.

The scene was one of indescribable excitement and hundreds of people gathered outside of the prison and cried vociferously for the release of the unfortunate within. The spectators feared the flames would reach the cell rooms, but on being assured by Chief Hedmiller that the prisoners were not in danger ceased their demands that the prisoners be released and turned in with a will to assist the firemen with their work. The blaze was confined to the upper floors of the prison. Loss $10,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

FELL DEAD.

Bowen Case, of Erie County, Dies in Norwalk.

Norwalk, O., Dec. 8.—(Special)—Mr. Bowen Case, father of F. B. Case, the well-known tobacconist of this city, fell dead on West Main street, in this city. He was a resident of Florence, Erie county, and was 86 years of age. He had been a resident of Florence for nearly 80 years, having moved there in 1812 or 1813. He was probably the best known man in Erie county. He was a large land holder and possessed considerable wealth.

M. F. Wooster Post, G. A. R., of this city, have elected the following officers:
Com.—C. P. Wickham.
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Chap.—J. M. Seymour.
Surg.—E. C. Morrill
O. D.—Jas. McGuckin.
Q. M.—Wm. Suhr.
O. G.—Wm. C. Reynolds.
Del. State Enc.—J. W. Rexford.
Alt. State Enc.—R. K. Rood.
Jan.—H. Palmer.

UPPER SANDUSKY ELKS.

Upper Sandusky, O., Dec. 8.—(Special)—The "lodge of sorrow" held in the opera house here Sunday afternoon by the Elks of Upper Sandusky over the late L. B. Hains and W. G. Dumm, deceased members of the society, was a very interesting affair, and notwithstanding a drenching rain a large audience was in attendance. Judge Allen Smalley, Rev. J. W. Henly and James T. Close delivered very able and eloquent discourses.

FRIGHTENED TO DEATH.

Binghamton, N. Y., Dec. 8.—Mrs Charles Bliss, of East Maine, drove to town yesterday with a span of horses. On the way home the horses were frightened by the puffing of an engine and ran a mile before being stopped. Mrs. Bliss was found holding the reins, but neither moved nor answered when spoken to. She was dead. A physician said her death was due to fright.

THE SAW DUST WAS LOADED

Fatal Explosion in a Boiler Room in Buffalo.

One Man Killed and Others So Badly Injured That They May Die.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 8.—At 7 o'clock this morning an explosion occurred in the boiler room of Lee Holland & Co.'s planing mill on Court street, causing the death of one man and the injury of several others.

The 300 employes had just begun work when fire was discovered in the sawdust under the boilers. Furnaces are fed with this sawdust, which is gathered by a system of blowers. The employes had just succeeded in extinguishing the flames when a loud explosion was heard.

The big wall fell out with a crash and the roof of a passageway fell upon a score of mill hands who had been at work on the flames. Five of them were caught.

The fire department was summoned and the work of rescue hurriedly begun. In half an hour the imprisoned men had been pulled out.

Louis Loesch was dead, his head crushed in.

Peter Wutz, a Pole, was severely scalded.

Nick Brader was unconscious from severe injuries.

Martin Volk, a boy, had his leg broken.

The others were only slightly injured.

The explosion is believed to have been caused by the generation of gas in the sawdust as it is sucked into the pipes which carry it to the furnaces. The loss will reach $15,000.

MILAN NOTES.

Interesting Personal Gossip from Erie County.

Milan, O., Dec. 8.—(Special)—The work on the new M. E. church is progressing quite rapidly. It is to be a fine building.

Mrs. E. Steel and daughter, Chicago, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. McLain.

The Presbyterian ladies are preparing a grand fair and stage entertainment for the 15th and 16th.

St. Luke's Episcopal church will give its Sunday school a Christmas tree.

Mrs. Henry Seamon is quite ill.

Mr. J. S. Mowrey, of Rockport, La L., gave his many friends a call last week.

Miss Grace Mowrey and Miss Helen Andrews, who have been spending a few weeks in Chicago, returned home this past week.

SHOT TO DEATH IN JAIL.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 8.—Dick Lundy, colored, was shot to death in jail in Edgefield county yesterday by a mob, for the murder of James Ousts, son of the sheriff. The murder occurred last Saturday night.

NO REVOLUTION.

Panama, Dec. 8.—Acting President Holquin sent word yesterday that Nunez has gained a victory in every department of the republic save two, and denying the rumors of revolution in the interior.

COAL DEALER IN TROUBLE.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 8.—J. J. Johnson, dealer in coal and lime, is in financial difficulties. Liabilities $30,000.

WELTI RESIGNS.

Berne, Dec. 8.—Dr. F. Welti, president of the national council of the federal assembly and chief of the department of posts and railroads, has resigned owing to the fact that the administration's proposition to purchase the Swiss railroads has been defeated.

BANK FAILURE.

London, Dec. 8.—A dispatch from Colchester says that Messrs. Bawtree, Dawnay & Curzon's bank, of that city, has suspended payment pending arrangements which are being made with another bank for the resumption of their business.

If you had taken two of Carter's Little Liver Pills before retiring you would not have had that coated tongue or bad taste in your mouth this morning. Keep a vial with you for occasional use.

BUCKEYE KERNELS.

The Niles water works are in operation.

Kent has 17 manufacturing institutions.

There are 78,612 prisoners on the state roll.

The Findlay gas trustees are drilling a well near Fostoria.

The taxable property of Miami county is valued at $889,430.

The street railways of Salem will be extended and improved.

The building trades unions of Springfield will be consolidated.

The postoffice at Williams, Putnam county, has been abolished.

Celina has two individual natural gas companies, and merry war is on.

The business men of Canton have organized a Merchants' association.

The Mansfield Ice company is building a storage house of 2,000 tons capacity.

The board of health of Akron recommends the adoption of smoke consumers.

William Snively, of Carrollton, attempted to cut his throat with a case knife.

The electric railway between Wellsville and East Liverpool is about completed.

Farmers along the Scioto river are making a gigantic effort to have the stream cleared.

The Springfield Natural Gas company warns consumers to be careful as the pressure is very low.

The Richland Construction company, with a capital stock of $50,000, has been organized at Mansfield.

The Fostoria Glass company has been enjoined from removing the plant from Fostoria to Moundsville.

The stock of goods of the Young American Clothing company of Findlay was sold by the sheriff for $9,000.

A Cincinnati man buried his pet dog in a $25 casket and placed a $25 tomb stone at the head of the grave.

The Platt Carriage company and the Mansfield Buggy company, both of Mansfield, will be merged into one corporation.

John Rerrill, a farmer of Fayette county, just paid $426.43 for giving a strange lightning rod agent a signed contract.

The village prison at Richmond, Geauga county, was destroyed by fire, and a prisoner named Dennis Enright was burned to death.

Attorneys for William Curtis, sent to the penitentiary from Shelby county for life for murdering his wife, are canvassing the members of the jury endeavoring to solicit their aid to procure a pardon for Curtis.

TREATIES FOR TRADE.

Austria and Germany Pulling Together.

France Has to Take What is Left.

Other Countries Talking of Better Relations With Each Other In the Matter of Exchanging Products.

Berlin, Dec. 8.—The treaty between Germany and Austria makes provision for a common freight tariff on railways inside and outside of the kingdom. In the preamble to the bill it is stated that "Germany's food production does not suffice for the increasing needs of the country. Raw imports in 1880 amounted to 1,767,000,000 marks; in 1890 they amounted to 2,120,000,000 marks. Manufactured exports in 1880 were worth 1,211,000,000 marks; in 1890 they were worth 1,286,000,000 marks.

The total exports in 1888 were valued at 3,352,000,000 marks; in 1890 at 3,400,000,000 marks. In order to benefit Italy without benefiting France the duty on Italian red wine for mixing with German wine is reduced from 24 to 10 marks.

France only exports finished wines. The duty on ordinary wines is reduced from 24 to 20 marks, which will benefit France. Italy has granted similar reductions to Germany and Austria. The duty on beer in cask is reduced from 12 lire to 3 lire, and on bottled beer from 20 to 3 lire. The clay treaty, being renewable annually, will enable Germany to exact concessions from America."

The treaties contain a clause preventing Germany from granting the same reductions to other countries, or from still further reducing the duties. The zollverein is especially anti-French. Germany has taken care to concede much on those goods forming the staple French exports. The treaties will remain operative from year to year after 1903, unless either party gives a year's notice of withdrawal from the agreement.

There is a reduction of 12 marks on German duties on glass. Other reductions are: Hops, 6 marks; leather goods, 2 marks; fine leather, 5 marks; graphite, 18 marks; malleable iron ore, red pepper and 2-year-old horses, 10 marks; oxen, 5 marks; young cattle, 1 mark, and wood 10 pfennings. On hardware there is an average reduction of from 15 to 20 per cent.

Germany and the States.

Paris, Dec. 8.—The Journal des Debats says: "We are informed that Germany has just concluded with the United States a commercial convention by which there will be an exchange between the two countries of the favored nation treatment. The United States will allow the free importation of German sugar in consequence of this agreement and American cereals imported into Germany will pay only 1-2, instead of 5 marks.

Triumph for Protection.

Madrid, Dec. 8.—The new treaty makes a large increase in several duties and is a triumph for the protectionists. Among the articles on which the tariff is increased are machinery, iron hardware, cottons, woolens, silks, breadstuffs, cattle and horses. The right is reserved by Spain to concede rates below the maximum to those nations consenting to reciprocity treaties with the Spanish government.

IN SESSION TO-DAY.

Democrats' Executive Committee in Session.

What Leading Men Have to Say on the Result of the Speakership Contest.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The executive committee of the national committee met in this city this morning to arrange for the meeting of the national committee which is to select a time and place for holding the national democratic convention. Most of the members of the executive committee are on hand. Several were interviewed as to the significance of the election of Mr. Crisp as speaker.

Hon. Hiram Atkins, of Vermont, denied that Crisp's election was a blow at Cleveland. "It has no such significance. I am for Cleveland; at the same time I am pleased with the election of Judge Crisp. I can't see how it will cut any figure in national politics. Plenty of men favorable to Cleveland were friendly to the gentleman who has just been honored with the second highest office in the land."

Col. Palmer, of Missouri, did not hear the news of Judge Crisp's triumph with the same equanimity as his colleague on the national committee. "I am sorry to hear of Col. Mills defeat," he said. "He was the right man for the speakership for he had done valiant party service and his zeal in behalf of tariff reform entitled him to the honor. It looks like a virtual weakening on the prime issue that is the dividing line between democrats and republicans."

The committee fixed January 21 as the date for a meeting of the committee to fix a place for holding the national convention.

HELD FOR MURDER.

The Charge That Will be Placed Against Coakley.

Tim Kinney and George Brown Held as Accessories—Close of the Inquest on the Death of Harvey McDonald.

Coroner Roulet finished his inquest in the matter of the killing of Harvey McDonald yesterday afternoon. The session in the afternoon was held at the police station, and the witnesses examined were Detective Kruse, who arrested George Brown and had a statement from him, George Brown himself, John Crowley and Frank Murphy. The statement of Brown was precisely the same as his statement printed in the Bee Saturday. Crowley's was the same as his printed statement up to the conclusion of the fight. Yesterday he told of their wanderings while evading the police, and said that while Coakley, Tim Kinney and himself were behind the bill-boards at the corner of Jefferson and Superior streets, Coakley gave him a knife and told him to keep it until the next day. This knife he left in his pants at the St. Clair house, and it was the same one afterwards found there by the police. "When Coakley gave me the knife I did not know that McDonald was cut," said Crowley.

Frank Murphy told the same story as the others regarding the evening's carousal, but he stated that when the fight began Crowley was helping Kinney and Coakley pound McDonald. Murphy then ran around the corner.

At the conclusion of the testimony the coroner released George Brown on a bond of $100 for his appearance as a witness. The bond was signed by his attorney, O. S. Brumback.

He fixed the same bond for Frank Murphy, but he was not released until this morning, when the bond was signed by his aunt.

The coroner has not yet made a formal return of his verdict, but he will to-day sign affidavits holding Jerry Coakley for murder in the first degree and Tim Kinney and John Crowley as accessories.

The preliminary hearing of the three will be held in police court to-morrow morning, where Coakley and Kinney will be represented by Attorney T. J. McDonnell, and Judge J. M. Ritchie, Attorney J. D. Ford will look after the interests of John Crowley, and O. S. Brumback is attorney for George Brown.

THE MAYBRICK INSURANCE.

The Company Ordered to Pay it Over to the Attorneys.

London, Dec. 8.—The judges in the court of appeal to-day held that the Mutual Reserve Fund Life association was liable for the payment of a $10,000 life insurance policy effected by the late James Maybrick, in favor of his wife, an American lady (now in prison under life sentence, after having been found guilty of causing his death by administering poison to him) "provided the wife does not benefit by the payment."

This decision has been awaited with great interest by insurance companies throughout the world, and it establishes a precedent in law affecting life insurance.

HORSEWHIPPED.

St. Louis, Dec. 8.—W .P. Bentley, a prominent attorney, was severely horsewhipped by three men on Chestnut street yesterday. W. B. Harris, one of the men who wielded the whips, claimed that Bentley insulted his wife on Saturday last. Mr. Bentley claims he is innocent of the charge.

THE GRIP ONCE MORE.

Plainfield, Conn., Dec. 8.—La grippe appeared a month ago, and nine-tenths of the residents have since been its victims. There are now over 200 cases in town. It is also epidemic in many towns in the vicinity. In Colchester there are hundreds of cases. Bacon academy was closed yesterday on account of the epidemic. Many towns in Rhode Island report a large number of cases.

SHORT SESSION.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 8.—The senate met at 2:30 yesterday afternoon and at once adjourned to December 29, at 1:30 p. m.

MICHIGAN NEWS NOTES.

Detroit is after the national democratic convention.

The national colors now float over the public square of Hart.

The union depot at Copemish is being extended and improved.

The bones of a mastodon have been unearthed on a farm near Clinton.

Three-card monte sharks caught several citizens of Bay City to the tune of $200.

Frank Banks and George B. Woods have been arrested, at Dover, for barn burning.

A boiler exploded and wrecked the saw mill of Pope & Pulley at Hornersville.

Thieves stole a half cord of wood and a dog house from a citizen of Battle Creek.

Jack Perry, a teamster for the Ohio paper mills at Niles, committed suicide by drowning.

Charles McGinn, an aged and respected citizen of Adrian, dropped dead while attending mass.

Footpads held up F. S. Gilford at Milford and relieved him of $500 worth of loose change.

The walls of a new brick building at Owosso were blown over, demolishing a frame building adjoining.

A new divine, in charge of the Methodist church at Ithaca, insulted the congregation and has been set adrift.

Bay City is willing to give $50,000 bonus to any company building a railroad from that point to Sebewaing and Wilmot.

The big saw mill of Farr & Atwater at Marinisco was completely destroyed by fire at a loss of $40,000, with $10,000 insurance.

G. N. Ahrens, a prominent musician, proposes to give a series of concerts strictly of American composition, in all of the principal cities of Europe.

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Mrs. Royal High, of number 1108 Newberry street, in speaking of her little three-year-old daughter, said:

"For a year, previous to last June, my little girl was so badly afflicted with catarrh that we were afraid it would eventually cause her death. Her head was in a terrible condition. The nose very sore and stopped up continually; so much so that for weeks at a time she was not able to breathe through it, and could not get to sleep until I would, by the use of salves, or vaseline, get the nostrils cleared out a little.

"Her eyes became very much affected.

Mrs. Royal High's Baby Girl.

Whenever she caught a little cold, which seemed to be nearly all the time, they would become so inflamed and painful that she could not stand the light. For days at a time I would have to keep the blinds and shutters closed—making it so dark that I know it affected my own health—for the least light would cause the poor little sufferer to cry with pain. Her appetite was very poor, and instead of growing stronger as she should at her age, she was gradually failing.

"I was persuaded to take her to Drs. Copeland and Buffett, to see if they could not help her, and now cannot feel grateful enough for what they have done, for my dear little child

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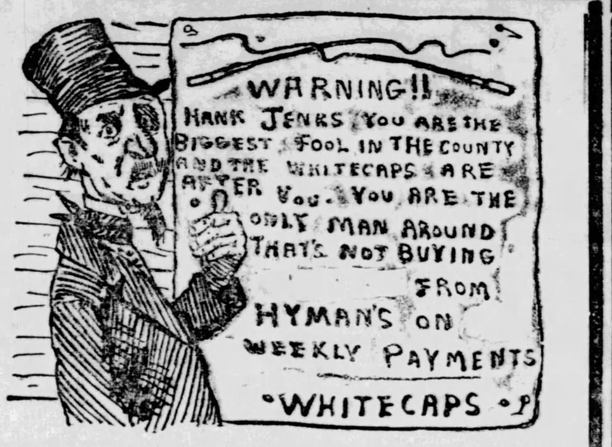
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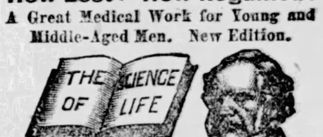

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A GOLUMN OF SMILES.

Colonel John Fellows, Charles W. Brooke and a lot of other jolly fellows held a symposium in the cafe Savarin not long ago, says the New York Commercial Advertiser, when somebody, talking of Billy Florence's death, mentioned the famous banquet given by the dead comedian and Ned Sothern at which the guests nearly frightened the life out of Philip Lee, the somewhat insipid husband of Adelaide Neilson. "That," said Mr. Brooke, "wasn't a marker to the joke that Jim Collier and Cris Conor played not only on Lee, but on a whole roomful of others as well. In those days Cris' billiard parlors were the favorite evening resort of not only all the men about town, but of the best wits and most famous actors, like John Brougham, Lester Wallack and Ned Adams. On the night in question Lee and a lot of friends were playing billiards, when Jim Collier and Cris got into an altercation, and Collier attempted to pull Conor over the bar to thrash him. Cris resisted, and before they could be separated he drew a hatchet, and, with a terrible blow, split Jim's head open with it. The blood spurted out in a sickening manner, and Collier sank lifeless to the floor. Instantly everyone who was playing dropped his cue and there was an almost general rush to the door. Lee was so overcome by the affair that he nearly fainted. Collier's body was lying half under the billiard table. The police were notified, and when they entered the place they found Collier washing his head at the lavatory and Collier was pouring a pint of Pommery Sec into two glasses. Both were laughing so that their sides shook. Their quarrel was a fake. The hatchet was a papier-mache property affair, borrowed from a theater for the occasion, and the 'blood' had come from a kind of skull cap Collier had worn to make the affair gory. All hands except the principals were badly scared, though, and it took several bottles of wine to calm our nerves. I tell you, there was lots of fun about in those days."

Another Sort of Terror.

"There comes Filkins. Let's go around the block."

"What's the matter? Had a quarrel with him?"

"O, no; we're the best of friends."

"Owe him money?"

"Not a cent."

"Think he wants to borrow?"

"No; he always has money."

"Always has a hard luck story to tell, perhaps?"

"Never knew him to tell one in all the years I've known him."

"Well, why in the world don't you want to meet him?"

"He has a baby that is always saying bright things."—Chicago Tribune.

Swallowed an Elevator.

People who go to apothecaries to have their diseases prescribed for occasionally hear very strange questions. In one case a man, wearing a long countenance, is said to have entered an apothecary shop and remarked: "I seem to have something queer in my stomach, and I want you to give me something for it." "What are your symptoms?" the apothecary asked. "Every little while something seems to rise up, and then settle back again, and by-and-by it rises up again." The apothecary put his chin in the palm of his hand and meditated awhile. "Look here," he said gravely, "you haven't gone and swallowed an elevator, have you?"—Toronto Budget.

Winter Musings.

The grass has ceased its growing,
And the chilly winds are blowing,
And it's getting time for snowing
As we get our mittens out.
Soon the sleigh bells will be ringing;
We can hear the snow birds singing;
And the icicles are clinging
To the whitened water spout.

Where the old-time lovers flirted,
The groves have been deserted,
And their sparks are now concerted
In the parlor by the grate.
The hunters deer are stalking,
And the tramp is southward walking;
And the sewing circle's talking,
Puts their victim in a state.

The plumber now is plumbing,
And the old clothes man is humming
At the garments that are coming
From the swells of summer days.
The weather vanes are jerky,
And the sky is getting murky,
And the plump and pampered turkey
Sees the error of his ways.

But though the air is freezing,
And it gives us fits of sneezing,
Yet we're filled with thoughts most pleasing
As we ope the closet door.
For ever since September
We have viewed it, and remember
That the suit of last December
We can wear a season more.
—Clothier and Furnisher.

Brotherly Foresight.

Little Tom was involved in the difficulties of learning to dress himself, and regarded the buttons which had to be fastened behind as so many devices to torment small boys.

One morning he was informed of the arrival of a baby sister, and later in the day was allowed to steal into his mother's chamber to look at the baby as she lay asleep.

Tom regarded the small creature with much interest, and the nurse, wishing to know what his thoughts were, asked him softly:

"Well, how do you like her? Isn't she a darling?"

"I don't think she looks much good," answered Tom, with uncompromising frankness. "How soon will she be big enough to fasten my back buttons?"

A Small Boy's Advice.

A small Scotch boy was summoned to give evidence against his father who was accused of making a disturbance in the streets. Said the bailie to him, "Come, my wee mon, speak the truth, and let us know all ye ken about this affair."

"Weel, sir," said the lad, d'ye ken Inverness street?"

"I do, laddie," replied his worship.

"Weel, ye gang along it and turn into the square and across the square"——

"Yes, yes," said the bailie, encouragingly.

"And when ye gang across the square ye turn to the right and up into High street, and keep on up High street till ye come to a pump."

"Quite right, my lad; proceed," said his worship. "I know the old pump well."

"Well," said the boy with the most infantile simplicity, "ye may gaug and pump it, for ye'll no pump me."—Dublin Times.

Never Done.

"I am now convinced," said Tompkins, "that woman's work is never done."

"What leads you to that conviction?" asked Smythe.

"The fact that Mrs. Tompkins, after working me half the night for a sealskin sacque, began blithely this morning on a new set of parlor furniture."

A Social Catechism.

"And what do you mean by a wise man?"

"One who can do without the world."

"And by a fool?"

"One who fancies that the world cannot do without him."

A Match.

"Now, William," said Mrs. Hicks, "here is the blue ribbon. I want two yards more just like it. And don't forget, William, I must have a match."

Later—"Here you are, Mary," said William. "Here is the ribbon. It's two shades lighter than the other, but I guess it'll do. And here is a match—I've got a box of 'em."

Solved.

"What is a skeleton? Can you tell me, children?" asked a reader of the Drawer of his Sunday school class.

The infant class looked troubled. Their ideas on the subject were of the most vague description, and, they seemed to think, hardly worth mentioning. The question passed down the class, almost to the very foot, meeting only a blank look or a shake of the head, until at last the smallest tot of all ventured a reply. "Pleathe, mith, it ith a man without any meat on it"—Harper's.

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And the Annual Freight Blockades Avoided—A New Superintendent—Death Claims an Old Railroader.

"It isn't the actual scarcity of cars that is causing the prevailing freight blockade all over the country," remarked a prominent freight agent to a Bee this morning, "because statistics show that there is one-third more freight cars in the country today than are actually needed to handle the business.

"The trouble lies in the manipulation of the cars. A western company lets a 200 cars go east; there is no telling when they will be returned. The same with eastern companies, there is a big temptation and one that is seldom resisted, to use these cars in an emergency instead of returning them.

"The result is western lines bring the tonnage into Chicago, and if eastern lines save the cars on hand to transfer or exchange it goes on, otherwise it remains in Chicago. The eastern lines have not had the cars to redeem the immense eastbound traffic, hence the tie-up.'

A New Superintendent.

M. S. Connors has been appointed to succeed M. Stillwell, superintendent of the Hocking division of the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo road. Mr. Connors resigned a similar position with the Chicago & Eastern Illinois road. He has formerly been employed in responsible positions with the C., H. & I., C., H. & D. and Peoria & Pekin.

Excursion Rates.

The Central Traffic association has granted excursion rates to the Missionary Conference, Cumberland Presbyterian church, to be held at St. Louis on Dec. 15 to 17, and the Modern Language association of America, to be held at Washington, D. C., Dec. 28 to 31.

The association declined to grant excursion rates to the Ohio Retail Merchants' association meeting to be held in Columbus Dec. 9 and 10. The application was not made in time. The certificate plan was not satisfactory to the Ohio State Board of Examiners, which convenes in Columbus on Dec. 28 to Jan. 1, 1892, and rates will therefore not be granted.

Dimmick Will Not Resign.

It was stated in the Bee some days ago that George Dimmick, general yardmaster of the Lake Shore road at this point, would shortly tender his resignation to accept a similar position with the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo road at Columbus.

Since that, however, Mr. Dimmick has reconsidered his intention and has decided to remain with the Lake Shore, for a valuable remuneration, no doubt.

F. & P. M. Represented.

It was announced in the Bee a day or two ago that C. C. McNeal had been appointed commercial agent of the Flint & Pere Marquette, with headquarters in this city.

Mr. McNeal arrived last evening and will probably make arrangements to locate in the Gates ticket office, Boody house block. Mr. McNeal comes well recommended and will no doubt look well to the interest of the F. & P. M. in this vicinity.

Death of Traffic Manager Sargent.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 8.—A. L. Sargent, traffic manager of the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis railroad, died in this city at 8:45 yesterday morning. He was probably the best known traffic manager in the west. For five years he was general freight and passenger agent for the entire Santa Fe system. He has been in the railway service since 1861, beginning as local ticket agent of the old Indianapolis & Cincinnati road in Cincinnati. He was 55 years old and had been in failing health for the past two years.

The Boardman & Gray pianos, sold only by The Whitney & Currier Co., 219 Summit street.

LOCAL LABOR NEWS.

Linemen Reorganize and the Building Trades Council Elect Delegates.

At the meeting of the Electric Linemen's Union last evening Fred Heizelman, delegate to the St. Louis convention, reported that it had been decided to rename and reorganize the national organization, and that hereafter it will be known as the Brotherhood of Electric Workers. The Union has now the power to take in all electric workers, but this will not probably be done for some time. The Union has decided to give a dance December 15, at Druid hall.

The Building Trades Council at its regular meeting last evening elected C. W. Murphy, carpenters, and Joseph McMahon, plumbers, delegates to the Ohio State Trades and Labor Assembly. Alternates, W. T. Nevitt, painters, Pat Proyer, plasterers. Reports from all but one of the Unions under the jurisdiction of the Council were read endorsing the Council's recently adopted card system.

KNEELAND MUST PAY.

Decision of the United States Court in Clover Leaf Case.

Judge Gresham Sustained in His Overruling of the Special Master's Report.

The United States supreme court has sustained Judge Gresham in his recent overruling of objections to the special masters' report in the Clover Leaf case.

In the foreclosure proceedings in the United States courts of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois, of the narrow gauge railroad system from Toledo to Cincinnati, and from Toledo to St. Louis, about $200,000 of the receiver's certificates were issued by various orders to pay off sundry claims against the railroad prior to receivership. During the pendency of suits it became important to decide whether these certificates were for valid claims against the road. The purchaser of the road from Toledo to St. Louis was permitted to contest the validity of the claims and to defend against them the same as the road itself might have done. The purchaser retained Col. Robert G. Ingersoll to defend these claims. Judge Gresham, by request, referred all questions growing out of these receiver's certificates to A. J. Ricks, then clerk of the Unite dStates courts in Ohio, as special master. Capt. Ricks took testimony, heard the cases, and filed his report, holding that the receiver's certificates to the full amount of $197,000 were valid, and that the purchaser ought to pay the same. Judge Gresham heard the exceptions to the master's report. Col. Ingersoll, John M. Butler, of Indianapolis, and Clarence Brown, of Toledo, appeared for the purchaser and contested the master's report, while Charles Pratt, esq., of Toledo, represented the holders of the receiver's certificates. Judge Gresham sustained the master's report, and the case was appealed to the supreme court of the United States. That court has just decided the case, sustaining Judge Gresham, and so the certificates must be paid. The holders mostly reside in Cleveland. The case has been in the courts for about eight years.

The decision does not affect the Clover Leaf. It simply means that Mr. Kneeland is to pay the debt incurred when he purchased the old road.

A Standard machine would make one of the most useful presents that could be found. J. W. GREENE & CO., Pythian Castle.

MAY HAVE BEEN DENTON.

Trying to Identify the Head of the Dynamiter.

New York, Dec. 8.—Four persons have expressed the opinion that the head of the dead bomb thrower, who perished in his attempt to blow up Millionaire Russell Sage last Friday, is that of "Professor Denton," a mysterious crank, who has long been known in Brooklyn and in this city.

The identification is not complete, but the gentlemen named knew Denton, and are positive that the bomb thrower's features strongly resemble his.

SUCCESSFUL TOLEDOAN.

G. M. Eiseman Starts in Business for Himself at Cincinnati.

Mr. G. M. Eiseman, formerly private secretary to W. B. Shattuc, of the Ohio & Mississippi road, has accepted the principalship of the Practical School of Shorthand, Telegraphy and Typewriting, at Cincinnati, and anticipates a successful career, which will be gratifying to his friends in this city to learn of his attaining.

Mr. Eiseman is a Toledo boy, his parents residing on Vermont avenue.

He was born in this city January 29, 1865, his father being J. P. Eiseman, who is well known in railroad circles of the city, having been employed by the C., H. & D. for some 20 years. Shorthand and telegraphy had a certain fascination for young Eiseman from childhood, his one aim being to combine the two so as to utilize them to an advantage, and his efforts in that direction have been crowned with success. At the age of 13 he had laid the groundwork of a practical education, having mastered fairly well the above arts.

When but seven years of age Eiseman had the largest Bee route in the city and held it for several years, at times having four and five other boys to assist him. Of course this netted a snug income, never less than $50 per month, and notwithstanding this he went to school, ranked among the first in the High school and went to college in the evening—little hands pretty full. At the age of 14, his father called the boy to him and said, "My boy, I think it advisable for you to buckle down to work," and always following this counsel, he looked for work. He did not have to look long, however, for soon there was an opening in Mr. Waring's office for an operator, and Eiseman made application for the same, which was accepted. He worked in the depot but a short time when he was promoted, without even the asking, to the general office.

This was very encouraging, and young Eiseman went at the studies anew with a determination to be better than any stenographer or telegraph operator that ever lived. A few years later he left his home and went to Cincinnati, knowing no one. He had been there but a few hours when he was tested for a good position which was awarded him, and which he held for years, resigning to join service with the O. & M. This was a very busy office, and it was soon found what had previously been supposed was hard work had been mere child's play, as here an applicant is put through a rigid examination before hiring. He recently resigned his position to assume the duties of principal and instructor of the Practical School of Short Hand, Telegraphy and Typewriting, which promises to be one of the largest schools of its kind in this section, and if energy can make it, it will be the largest.

The Cincinnati Enquirer has the following complimentary reference:

G. M. Eiseman, Gen. W. B. Shattuc's private secretary, is something of a wonder in his way, though he doesn't say much about it. He is not only one of the best stenographers in the country, but also one of the best telegraph operators. Besides this he is a type writer operator who can hold his own with the best of them. He takes Gen. Shattuc's correspondence in shorthand and then sends it over the wire without transcribing it, and takes from the wire from the very best operators on any of the standard type writers with ease. He is said to be the only man in Cincinnati who can accomplish this.

The Commercial Gazette says: G. M. Eiseman, who for some time past has been stenographer in the office of General Passenger Agent W. B. Shattuc, of the Ohio & Mississippi, has resigned to accept the position of principal of the Practical School of Shorthand, Telegraphy and Typewriting in this city. Mr. Eisman is an old railroad boy, having been in the service for the past 15 years. When he was 13 years of age he was an operator in the depot at Toledo. Many friends wish him success in his new field of labor.

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CATCHING CROOKS.

Two Good Captures Made Since Yesterday.

How the Police Are Making It Hot for the Thieves and Burglars.

The police force and detectives are still continuing their vigorous crusade against the thieves and thugs that infest the city, and are doing good work. As a result a number of loose characters who were too free with other people's goods have been sent to the workhouse lately and others are on their way there.

This morning Detectives Manley and Carew arrested a man giving the name of Louis Hansen. He is a Swede, and these two officers have been keeping their eyes on him for a day or two. He is suspected of having entered box cars and stolen clothing and whatever else he could lay his hands on. The detectives discovered that he had recently sold 23 overcoats of various sizes and colors and ranging in value from $10 to $18. He also disposed of a lot of gloves, some pocket cutlery and other articles. It is not yet known from whom the goods were stolen, but the fellow is unable to give a good account of himself and the officers think it will be a good thing to keep him in custody for awhile until the matter is thoroughly investigated. He had on his person an express receipt for two trunks from St. Louis, Mo., to Mexico, Mo., dated Nov. 23.

The same team of detectives also made another good haul last night by arresting a man giving the name of Charles Schmidt. Detective Manley "spotted" him in the Hanner house last evening and he was arrested on suspicion. On him was found an overcoat and a pair of spectacles which were stolen from the residence of Edwin Jacoby, 2133 Jefferson street, a few days ago, and also a cloak which had been taken from the residence of Mr. Fred Bolse, corner of Monroe and Twenty-third streets.

At the time these burglaries were committed other articles were also taken and the thief left no clue, whatever, but the officers are satisfied that they have the right man.

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LOZIER & YOST

Dissolve Partnership--Lozier Buying Out Yost.

One of the Most Prosperous Institutions in Toledo May Remove to Cleveland for Lack of Proper Facilities.

To-day negotiations were closed whereby Mr. Henry A. Lozier, of Cleveland, becomes the sole proprietor of the Lozier & Yost bicycle works, Mr. Lozier having bought out Mr. Yost for $17,000.

The prosperous condition of the institution is shown by the fact that Mr. Yost has taken about twice the amount out of the establishment that he put in originally.

Mr. Lozier lives in Cleveland, and that city has offered him certain inducements to remove the factory to the Forest City. Mr. Lozier likes Toledo, but certain street car facilities which have long been promised him not being forthcoming, he feels more or less disgusted.

It was his intention to enlarge the factory to about double its present capacity, but in the face of the fact that the facilities surrounding him are not adequate he may possibly remove the factory. Some prompt steps should be taken to have the institution remain.

The Consolidated street car company has a franchise for a line on Central avenue, and this line if built would reach the Lozier works. An extension of Robison's Lawrence avenue line would also fill the bill. One or the other of the companies will fill a long felt want by building a line which will run through a very desirable territory.

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BACKUS BLAMED

For Furnishing Alleged False Statements.

The Natural Gas Committee on Finance Make an Interesting Report to Present to the Board.

A meeting of the natural gas trustees was called for 11:30 this forenoon, but owing to the fact that Mr. Backus, who was chiefly interested, had in some manner not been notified, the meeting was postponed until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The finance committee, however, met and adopted the following report anent the giving out of false reports to the newspapers:

Toledo, December 8, 1891.

To the Board of Natural Gas Trustees:

The committee on finance having been directed by a resolution adopted Saturday, December 5, "to investigate and report as to who is responsible for the articles in the Toledo Commercial and Bee concerning the financial condition of this department, together with other facts pertinent thereto," respectfully report as follows:

In the judgment of the committee, Trustee A. L. Backus furnished the information for the article published in the Toledo Commercial of Saturday, December 5, and he does not deny the charge and is therefore responsible for the same. Your committee is of opinion that the editorial article in the Toledo Bee of Friday, December 4, was also based upon information furnished by Mr. Backus; but that article containing no figures, the committee is not able to establish that fact with equal certainty.

The Commercial article says: "The gas sold up to date amounts to $20,600." The truth is that the gas sold up to that date (December 4) amounted to $44,000.

The same article further says: "Trustee Brown says that all of these certificates issued to pay for pipe bought by the trustees were illegally issued." As a matter of fact, neither Trustee Brown nor any other trustee has ever made any such statement.

The same article also says that outside of the certificates of indebtedness, there is $56,959 due from the trustees with less than $100 in the treasury to meet it. This amount is made up by adding to the $7,950 due on various pay-rolls the sum of $49,000.

This item of $49,000, which is stated to be an outstanding indebtedness now due, is in fact, the footing of the general expense account for laying pipe and incidental expenses. It will be at once seen that a general expense account cannot by any possibility represent an outstanding obligation. The expense account represents the amount which has been paid and not an amount due. This item of $49,000 therefore represents the sum which has been paid for general expenses from the organization of the board to the present time, and, having been paid, cannot, of course, be properly said to be an indebtedness.

The real condition of the gas department at this time is briefly as follows:

It has long been well known that, owing to the vigorous opposition to the city's enterprise, the cost of territory, main line and city piping was much larger than it should have been, while at the same time, the city was deprived of its legitimate income for over two years through its inability to sell the gas which it had in the field, the field being at the same time extensively drawn upon for the avowed purpose of ruining our territiry.

As a result, and as was published at the time, the issue of natural gas bonds was practically exhausted when the main line was completed and the belt line constructed through the city. The trustees were, therefore, compelled to pipe the city on credit or confront failure

An act of the legislature authorized the trustees to contract debts without having the money in the treasury, and, as it was impossible to carry out the piping vigorously entirely upon credit, the citizens of Toledo promptly responded to the call of the trustees to advance money and accept payment in gas.

In consequence, the trustees have been able to lay about 80 miles of pipe in the city and to furnish gas to more than 5,000 different consumers.

Owing to the advent of cold weather and the fact that the lack of funds had prevented the trustees from developing and procuring an additional supply of gas necessary to meet the unexpectedly large consumption, it became necessary to suspend the work of pipe laying; consequently, there had to be refunded about $5,000 of advanced payments. Of this, all but about $500 has been refunded, and that sum will be paid upon presentation of the outstanding receipts.

The indebtedness contracted as above stated is evidenced by outstanding obligations maturing in varying periods from 60 days to 5 years. The amount of these obligations cannot be stated with exactness for the reason that certain contracts are not yet compleed, and the liability will not be definitely ascertained until the receipt of final estimates. The total amount of the present indebtedness of that character including incompleted contracts as closely as it can be now ascertained, is between $250,000 and $300,000, not exceeding the latter figures.

Aside from this, there is only the current monthly obligations which for supplies and materials on hand, and are such obligations as are usually outstanding against a municipal department.

The trustees have now in round numbers 5,000 consumers. The exact number cannot be given for the reason that connections are in advance of the auditor's record, and are particularly so now owing to the recent large reduction of the force and the increased work attendant upon the making of contracts and the refunding of advanced payments.

The month of December being the first month in which the board is getting anything like full returns from its domestic consumers, it is impossible, at this time, to state with exactness the monthly income, but from conservative estimates made by the auditor, Geo. B. Brown, from the records of his office, the probable monthly income for the present season will be not less than $13,000.

No one appreciates more than the trustees the many defects that necessarily exist in the system and the service. These were inevitable owing to the financial condition of the department and the great haste that was necessary to insure anything like a satisfactory service during the present winter. The choice lay between an entire failure for another winter to furnish gas and derive an income, or to render such service as was possible under the circumstances and thereby give to the citizens of Toledo a portion of the benefits which they should have long since received.

As between these two courses a majority of the trustees had no hesitation, and they feel confident that when, after the close of the present year, and at the proper time, the board shall submit its annual report in detail, it will receive, as heretofore, the support and approval of a large majority of our citizens.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN E. PARSONS,
W. W. JONES,
CLARENCE BROWN,
Committee on Finance.

Dr. Jones said the report, in his opinion, was a very conservative one. Many things had come to light pertaining to the matter which were not in the report. He referred, principally, to Mr. Backus action while a member of the tax commission in voting against a motion to levy a tax to pay the interest on the gas bonds.

Mr. Brown said it was hardly fair to sit there and criticize Mr. Backus in his (Backus) absence. He always preferred saying what he had to say to a man's face.

ANOTHER DEATH

Added to the List by the Late Railroad Wreck.

The actor, Mr. James, died at St. Vincent's hospital yesterday afternoon at 5:30, making the tenth victim of the wreck which occurred in this city a week ago Saturday. He was thought to be on a fair way to recovery when erysipelas set in, and the end came suddenly. Mr. James' remains were taken to Couldwell's undertaking establishment, where they will be prepared for interment.

All the other patients are improving, including Mrs. McKenzie, who is very much better to-day.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SOLD.

Passing Into the Hands of the Enterprising Ex-Senator T. P. Brown.

This morning the papers were filed for record which conveys the Chamber of Commerce building from the Penn Mutual Insurance company, which recently bought it, to Hon. T. P. Brown, of this city, the consideration being $110,000.

Mr. Brown will at once put the structure in first-class shape, and $10,000 will be invested in repairs. It will remain as an office building, and with the improvements which are to be made will continue to be one of the popular portions of the city in this line.

Those who are acquainted with Mr. Brown know of his qualifications as a man of push and energy, and Toledoans will be gratified to learn that this large structure has passed into his hands, as it is a guarantee that it will be maintained to the credit of the city.

SOME SPICY CURRENT TOPICS

Of Local and Neighborhood Interest.

Notes and Comments on Incidents Occurring Daily—Prepared for Readers Who are Hustled for Time.

ENJOINED THE SHERIFF.

Judge Pugsley this morning issued an injunction restraining Sheriff Stuart from disposing of the Taylor & Lazenby stock of confectionery, which was levied upon Friday evening on a judgment taken on a note of $1,791.52, given to the New York Biscuit company.

TAX INQUISITOR BUSY.

Samuel A. Hunter, county treasurer, entered suit in common pleas court to-day against Nancy M. Emerson, to recover $4,200, personal taxes assessed for the year 1888 to 1891. Similar proceedings were instituted against Florence Newman to recover $8,400. This is evidently fruits of Tax Inquisitor Warwick's labors.

RED LEARY'S CASE.

Charles Faber, alias Red Leary, who was shot by Detective Spore a few weeks ago, is still at the police station and rapidly improving. For several days he has been able to be on his feet for a little while each day. There are two charges of receiving stolen property against him and they will be heard on Thursday.

JAMES DID NOT REFORM.

James Carroll, a disreputable character who has been up in police several times recently, was on hand again this morning under the same charge. In the previous cases he had been let down easy upon promises to do better, but as he did not reform, Judge Sala this morning gave him a severe fine of $25 and costs. Carroll was also found guilty on a charge of petit larceny, for stealing a city directory from Gen. P. S. Slevin. In this case he was fined $15 and costs.

WANTS HIS PROPERTY BACK.

In common pleas court to-day Edward J. Moser entered suit against Michael Graham for the recision of a contract involving the transfer of real estate and for the cancellation of the deed to the same.

The plaintiff alleges that on the 3d day of July he exchanged 89 acres of land near Manhattan for 700 acres of land in Rowan county, Kentucky. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant was not the legal owner of the property thus conveyed, and that the deal was made to defraud him of his property.

COLUMBUS HELPS US OUT.

The New York Evening Sun reasons it out that Toledo, O., possesses a school official of a singularly powerful mind and gives its reason for this belief in these words: After the schools had been closed on account of the temperature having fallen below 50 degrees, the superintendent is said to have expressed the opinion that it would "be necessary to keep a supply of coal or wood to be used when emergencies require." On the face of it this is rather funny, but the Sun should remember that Toledo is blessed with fuel, natural gas, of which New York knows only by hearsay. It is probable that the schools of Toledo are heated ordinarily by gas.—Columbus Dispatch.

DEATH OF W. H. LAKE.

Another veteran joined the silent majority yesterday in the person of Mr. William H. Lake, who had reached the age of 74 years. The funeral services will be held to-morow afternoon at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. C. N. Marcellus, on Oakwood avenue. Mr. Lake was an old compositor, employed for many years on the Schenectady Daily Union, Albany Evening Journal, and Albany Law Journal. He was widely and well known, and much respected in Albany and Schenectady counties. A physical disability retired him from active labors about three years ago, and he came to reside with his son-in-law a year ago.

THE VOTE AT NOON.

The vote for grand lodge officers for the Knights of Pythias, as received by Secretary Court up to noon is as follows from 313 lodges on the general ticket, and 321 lodges on the office for which he is running:

Grand Chancellor—Dorn, 2,148.
Vice-Chancellor—Lewis, 2,152.
Prelate—Sutphen, 1,283; Carter, 866.
Keeper of Records—Court, 1,830; Tucker, 423.
Master of Exchequer—Hitchens, 2,139.
Master at Arms—Bridge, 2,142.
Inner Guard—Ward, 1,023; Jenkins, 1,132.
Outer Guard—Scholes, 329; Winn, 1,173; Scacrist, 101; Talbot, 168; Wingate, 42; Worley, 314.

WATCH OUT FOR THEM.

While so many legitimate calls are being made upon the sympathies of our benevolently disposed citizens, it seems a pity that any charity should be wasted, and it is well that all appeals for aid should be carefully investigated. There is just now a lad of about 14 years in Toledo drifting from one institution to another, and asking help from charitable people, who should be promptly sent about his business. He hails from Birmingham, Ala., but has been pretty much over the states. Some time since he applied to the infirmary but refused to be sent home, and Superintendent Kirkby found him work. He is not willing to work, and left his place. This week he has been telling a pitiful story to some of the lower town ladies and getting help from them. It is safe to say that a lad old enough to work who prefers to be a vagabond is not a safe person to have around the premises. Any such case as this should be referred to the infirmary.

FUNERAL OF MRS. LANE-KELLY.

The funeral services for Mrs. Helen Lane-Kelly were held at St. Mary's church this morning, and a funeral cortege consisting of the bereaved husband, mother, brothers, and other relatives and friends accompanied the remains to Fremont for burial. The members of St. Cicelia and Joan of Arc societies were present at the church this morning, and their beautiful floral emblems were among the many tributes of affection sent to Mr. Kelly's residence on Barnes street yesterday. The Joan of Arc sisters' emblem was the triangle within a circle, made of white carnations, immortelles and lilies, with a faintly tinted rose here and there, and the letters K. of L. in purple heliotropes. The St. Cicelias furnished a crescent-shaped emblem of rare flowers, resting upon a base in which the word "Faith" was worked in purple flowers; in the opening of the crescent was a white dove with lifted wings. The employes of Eaton's Lion store, late associates of Mrs. Kelly, sent in a spray of roses and ferns that filled one side of the coffin to its full length. Other friends sent in beautiful and appropriate remembrances.

AFTER THIRTY YEARS.

Mr. Archer Macomber, of Radersburg, Jefferson county, Mont., after an absence of more than thirty years, returned the 26th of November to visit his aged father, Albert Macomber, of Canaudaigua, Mich., and is now circling around among his other relatives in southern Michigan and northern Ohio. Mr. Macomber went west at the time gold was found at Pike's Peak, long before there was a railroad west of the Missouri river, and knows all about frontier life. For four years he freighted with mule teams, between Salt Lake City and Virginia City, 400 miles, when the Indians were liable to pounce down on them at any time. He passed some time in New Mexico, then went to Idaho and prospected for gold, when what is now known as Idaho was still a part of Oregon. He finally settled in the Crow Creek valley, of Montana, where he is successfully engaged in the business of raising cattle and horses. His home-coming, the surprise of his aged father, the joy of the sister and other relatives, the broad-shouldered ranchman in place of the boy just out of school, the story of his adventures through the west are like chapters from a story book.

JUDGE ALLEN COOPER,

One of Hancock County's Honored Men, Dead.

Since 1832 He Has Lived There to See the Thriving City of Findlay Grow Up Around Him.

Findlay, O., Dec. 8.—(Special)—Judge Allen Cooper, one of the pioneer citizens of northwestern Ohio, died last evening, at the advanced age of 80 years. He settled in Portage township, this county, in the year 1832, and has since resided here. There were only 17 families in the township at that time. He has served as judge, county commissioner, infirmary director and many other offices of trust with credit to himself and party.

A few years ago he celebrated his golden wedding surrounded by all his children.

The funeral occurred to-day at his home and the remains were brought to Maple Grove cemetery, this city, for interment.

U. S. COURT.

Mandate from the Supreme Court—More Prisoners Plead Guilty.

In the case of the Mutnal Life Insurance company v Pleasant township, Van Wert county, a mandate has been received from the U. S. court reversing the decree of the circuit court and overruling demurrer to answer. This brings it back to the U. S. district court, where the case will be retried on the facts.

Michael Reinkle, Dupont, and James M. Beard, a druggist of Spencerville, pleaded guilty to slight violations of the revenue laws and were fined $10 and costs each by Judge Ricks.

The Petroleum Oil company, of Detroit, v The Syndicate Oil company, of Findlay, was taken up this morning. The case is a suit for damages by reason of the alleged failure of the defendants to carry out a certain contract to supply oil. The case is an important one and the particulars have heretofore appeared in the Bee.

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Griffin or who? Sherman or who? Never mind congress.

The most missed man on the republican side of the senate is Edmunds, of Vermont.

The Brice matter is a two-edged sword and it is difficult to say which will be cut the more, Foraker or Sherman.

Legislatures with two-thirds power have been known to kick in Ohio. The republicans should keep on the ear end of their mule.

The Produce Exchange should send five of its ablest members to the Detroit waterways convention. Toledo should not be in default.

A ripper that will rip is already prepared for Dayton, and Columbus will be similarly attended to by the legislature this winter.

Kent Hamilton still thinks he has a mortgage on Representative Heller's vote which he intends foreclosing in the interest of Mr. Foraker.

The free delivery system has been extended to Defiance and will take effect January 1, a very nice New Year gift to an enterprising city.

The democratic papers of Chicago are particularly severe on Morrison, whom they accuse of open opposition to Mr. Springer's canvass for the speakership.

Ingalls' scintillating oratory and sky-scraping eloquence did not descend by heritage to the man of whiskers who occupies his seat in the United States senate.

It is very evident that the New York Herald is preparing to oppose Mr. Cleveland's election, even if he shall be the choice of New York's democracy in convention. Why this is thus is not explained.

The Ohio man got there, of course. Ex-Congressman Yoder, of Lima, was unanimously nominated for sergeant-at-arms of the house. He will be a faithful officer, popular with the members and the public.

A Chicago democratic paper finds fault with Egypt, because it is too near Missouri. Hardly a bad democratic fault, as Missouri invariably casts its electoral vote for democratic candidates for president.

Mr. Sherman bowed to the command of his party in Ohio and raised his objecting voice when Senator Brice took the oath of office. It wasn't much of an objection, it is true, still it shows that Uncle John is squaring himself for his own fight next month.

Republicans are disappointed in the nomination of Speaker Crisp. They preferred a man whom the minority could excite and demoralize. At all times and under all circumstances Mr. Crisp will possess self command and will command the house.

Those who profess the most profound knowledge of the inner circle of Ohio republican politics assert with a degree of positiveness that bears the impress of assurance, that John Sherman is losing ground and that Mr. Foraker is reasonably certain of election.

McGrew, of Springfield, is certain that Foraker will be elected, and Griffin, of Lucas, is equally as confident of the same thing, but the question of questions is which—McGrew or Griffin, will receive the Foraker votes for speaker of the house of representatives. That is what Griffin would like to know himself.

To a newspaper reporter Gov. Foraker said "Sherman appears to bother himself much about two senatorships," which, carefully interpreted, means that he, Foraker, is not to be caught with any Brice contest chaff. It is John Sherman's seat in the senate which the Cincinnati man wants. That is a fine exhibition of vim and vigor.

The New York Times has returned to the three-cent field and is in company with the Tribune and Herald. The World is a two-cent paper and the Advertiser is sold for one cent. Any of the New York papers are worth even more than three cents. There is no reading so good as that of a good newspaper and no class of reading that is furnished at so low a price.

A republican paper says the legislature should make as fair a redistricting bill as possible, giving the democrats at least five districts. Generous soul with wings of magnanimity. Five democratic districts out of twenty-one, is the personification and deification of liberality. Four to one in a vote of 800,000 with the majority for the on-top crowd only 20,000. Figure again, and see if the democrats can be squeezed down to two or three.

Representative Cooper, of Indiana, proposes to renew his fight on Pension Commissioner Raum in this congress. He led the fight ably in the last congress, and now announces he will keep it up until Raum is removed. This is a good hearing. Commissioner Raum is still chief of the pension frauds at Washington, and Mr. Cooper cannot do the country better service than by continuing to expose his rottenness, until the administration is shamed into removing him.

This little harmony dose is administered by that allopathic republican doctor, Major Bickham, of the Dayton Journal:

The Toledo Blade says that under Hon. Joe P. Smith the Urbana Citizen was for Sherman because it was subsidized by patronage, but under the new proprietorship untrammeled by federal patronage it is for Foraker. The Blade has no evidence upon which to base its gratuitous assertion. The Citizen is running along precisely as Joe Smith ran it. What is more, it is not likely to change base in the face of overwhelming republican sentiment in Urbana and Champaign county in favor of Sherman for senator. A little more than a month from now the Blade will be eating crow in various forms, but especially raw.

The successful passage of the "whale-back" steamer Wetmore to Europe and back, and recently down the Atlantic, around Cape Horn and up the Pacific to San Francisco, not only demonstrates the practicability of this type of vessels, but the superiority of lake ship building. Given the opportunity, with the facilities which the laws of trade would suggest from time to time, the ship yards of the chain of great lakes would teem with industry, and the name and fame of American skill would go to the farthermost ends of the world. The "whalebacks" are floating advertisements of what can be done on the inland seas.

The Michigan Federation of Labor, after earnest discussion, has decided to petition the managers of the Columbian Exposition to keep the world's fair grounds and buildings open to visitors on Sunday, for the benefit of workingmen and their families. It will be remembered that the general assembly of the Knights of Labor took similar action during their late convention here. It is not a little significant that all bodies representative of the wage workers take this position, while the petitions for Sunday closing come from those whose good fortune it is to be so situated that they can visit the exposition any and every day in the week.

It is singular that the entire argument against the removal of trade restrictions is directed against English manufactures and English laws. More singular still, when upon financial questions the standard erected by these same trade restrictionists is England's alleged stability, wise methods and conservative practices. The discussion of the silver question in America turns upon the probable action of England. There are other countries which might compel English respect of the silver dollar of American coinage. The Bank of France is almost as strong as the Bank of England, and handles immense sums of silver. It has just loaned Russia £24,000,000 of silver for ten years at three and one-half per cent. interest. Russia is a great silver country. There is much more silver than gold in circulation in the world, and there is no insurmountable obstacle preventing an international agreement by which the products of the American silver mines would supply coinage for general commercial purposes. The silver dollar; the gold dollar; the "honest dollar of the daddies."

Thomas Bombastes Reed, the deposed king of the house of representatives, is probably a much disappointed man to-day. Interviewed in Washington last week he gave four reasons why he hoped Mr. Mills would be elected speaker. The last reason was the only one of interest:

"And fourthly," says Mr. Reed, in his best Maine drawl, "I would like to see Mr. Mills speaker because I believe I could make him throw the gavel at me in about a week."

The probability is that Mr. Mills as speaker would have been as dignified as Speaker Reed was not, and the Maine man would have been disappointed. It is a certainty that with Mr. Crisp as speaker the policy of aggravation, which is avowedly the policy of the republican minority in the house, will be utterly ineffectual. A man who can command himself upon the floor under all provocations, as Representative Crisp was able to do in the last session, though often and grossly insulted by Mr. Reed in the chair, is not the man to lose his temper as a presiding officer. The choice of Crisp for speaker defeats beforehand the hoodlum policy of Reed and his colleagues.

The Atlanta Journal has been, and naturally so, the ardent champion of Crisp for speaker of the house. A few days ago it had this to say, which shows the estimation in which the new speaker is held where he is best known:

Judge Crisp is justly considered the best equipped man for the place. It is feared by some that as some of ex-President Cleveland's strongest supporters are his opponents, the election of Judge Crisp will be an anti-Cleveland victory.

But Judge Crisp is not responsible for the talk of senseless men and bitterly partisan newspapers. One of his ablest champions is Senator Gorman, who has been one of Cleveland's best and truest friends, and it may be safely said in advance that Speaker Crisp will form no committee of the house with a purpose to defeat Cleveland or set aside his views, nor to build up anybody else as an opponent of Cleveland. It is generally believed that he will go into the chair entirely unpledged to any man, to any faction, or to any policy not in strict keeping with the mandates of the organized national democracy.

Judge Crisp is in thorough accord with the strongest tariff reform sentiment of his party, and will do everything to bring about the revision of the tariff laws which the country so strongly demands.

His tariff speech in Atlanta was one of the strongest, cleanest and most pronounced expositions of the democratic view ever uttered.

In twenty-two states of the union women have the right of suffrage in the election of school officers. If there is one such state where the extension of the suffrage is detrimental to the cause of education it is not of record. If in one such state society is negatively affected it has never been reported. If in one such state the proposition that woman suffrage "unsexes women" in the scramble of politics, the story has never been told. On the contrary, in every state where women have an electoral voice the standard of education is raised, and over the practical school system the panoply of good home influence is spread. School work and school methods are energized by the refining influences of woman's thought and advice and encouragement wherever the plan has been adopted, and suffrage is carefully and judiciously exercised. The liberal laws of those states are worthy of emulation in the remaining twenty-two. What is well done in half of the states is worth trying in the other half. The effort of many women, in many Ohio towns, to have school suffrage extended to women is very commendable. However, they should understand that a constitutional amendment is first necessary, and they should commence their crusade in the proper manner. An amendment first, then laws to carry into effect the amendment.

The Seneca Mutual Fire Insurance company, of Seneca county, this state, has a corporate existence which is hardly known to the present generation in Tiffin and vicinity, yet there was a time when the company "flourished like a green bay tree." Way back, prior to the fifties, it received a charter to do business. The charter antedates the present constitution. It was a popular company when some of old settlers were young, but along the days of wildcatism, and state treasury defalcations, it fell upon hard lines and practically went to the wall. Members refused to pay assessments and the court docket was lumbered with suits of enforcement. It still has an office and an agent, but its debts are supposed to be greater than its assets, and it is become the subject of official investigation. The state commissioner of insurance threatens to arrest its charter, but the officers defy the state, setting up the claim that as its corporate power was derived from the state prior to the adoption of the present constitution, the laws passed since 1851 are without force and effect, and have no application to the Seneca Mutual Fire Insurance company. This is precisely the claim successfully made before United States Circuit Judge Jackson in the Cleveland gas case. The court held that neither the present constitution nor the laws passed in accordance therewith were binding upon the gas company. It will be interesting to observe how the state courts will handle the Tiffin cause.

SPEAKER CRISP.

The democratic house of representatives has commenced well. More than almost anything else, the successful session of a congress depends upon the knowledge, ability and fairness of its speaker. A poor speaker might easily demoralize a strong majority, while a superior presiding officer will always command the house and keep it in line for the transaction of practical business. In his hands a great majority will not be led to rashness, and the interests of the country and party will be conserved at all times. This is the significance of the election of Judge C. F. Crisp of Georgia to be speaker of the house of representatives. His experience in public affairs is large. An able lawyer in his own state he was elevated to the bench and served his people with honor to them and distinction to himself. A congressman for eight years, he is thoroughly conversant with the demands of legislation, and is the most skillful parliamentarian on either side of the house. Possessed of a most equable temper, he never lost command of himself when leading the majority the past two winters against the revolutionary methods of Reedism. Of commanding presence, skill, tact and consummate parliamentary ability, he closely resembles Randall and Carlisle. It is predicted of him that he will be a brilliant speaker and that his administration will redound to the great credit of his party. So mote that be.

As evidence of Speaker Crisp's intense convictions of the principles of the great democratic party, his first words to the caucus after his nomination have a ringing sound that will encourage the masses east and west. Said he:

"I beg to say to you now as I speak to you my first words since I am your selection for speaker that my election means no steps backward in tariff reform. I beg to say to you that there is in our party to-day no man who more earnestly believes in the democratic doctrine of tariff reform than I do."

Strong words impressively spoken. That little speech is a platform in itself, and the democratic party need have no fear of the stewardship of its congressmen while Mr. Crisp occupies the speaker's chair. Beginning well, the party has every assurance that congress will continue to do well.

The convict commission of Alabama has condemned the lease system, and the chairman of the commission advertises in the papers of that state for "plans for convict management," soliciting expression of opinions from all who are interested. It is a much vexed problem, and the increasing complexity of our industrial conditions increases the necessity for a wise and prompt solution of it. A solution which shall not work harm to society, to free labor, nor to the criminals themselves seems hard to find. The highest-minded and most intelligent American citizens can not find better field for thought and experiment.

Stopping Sunday Work.

The Rev. Goodfellow (to city editor)—We are going to have a monster meeting at my church next Sunday afternoon to protest against the growing custom of asking men to work on Sunday. A large number of city clergymen will speak, and we want a full report in Monday's paper. Won't you send down two or three reporters, a shorthand man or two, and your artist, so as to make a big spread the next morning? We want to do all we can to stop this execrable practice of asking men to work on the Lord's day.—Chicago Times.

Americans Would Better Avoid Both.

Mr. Walter Crane, the eminent English artist, now on a visit to Boston, is receiving some merited criticism for having attended a meeting in commemoration of the Chicago anarchists. The criticism would have been a little more timely if a good part of Boston had not been engaged at the same time in singing "God Save the Queen!" and worshipping an English lady because she happened to have a title. On the whole, ultra-socialism is more dignified than abject flunkeyism.—Boston Pilot.

The Inconsistent Colonel-Editor.

Colonel Elliott Shepard's paper, the New York Mail and Express, which has never let up for a single week in its fierce denunciations of southern "rebellion," is frantically trying to instigate a rebellion in New York. It is urging the republicans of that state to march on to Albany and take control of the legislature "by force, if necessary."—Atlanta Journal.

This is Cruelly Sarcastic.

President Harrison has directed the heads of the executive departments of the government to keep an efficiency record of all persons within the classified service, with a view to placing promotions wholly upon the basis of merit. Civil service reform is making distinguished converts.—Philadelphia Record.

May Still Need It.

A San Francisco news letter says that there is a surplus of champagne left over in that town, which was held by dealers in anticipation that Editor DeYoung would secure the republican national convention. Well, the prohibition national convention has not been located yet.—Chicago Mail.

Quay's Choice.

Mr. Magee of Pennsylvania is for Blaine if he wants the nomination. Mr. Quay, also of Pennsylvania, is for Blaine first and for Harrison if an epidemic carries off everybody else.—Kansas City Star.

And Still We Have Prohibitive Tariff.

Oil from American corn is being used by the German soap manufacturers. This country has not only to feed Europe but to wash Europe's face.—New York Sun.

Comforting to Blair.

Whenever there is a fresh war scare reported from China, "ex-Minister" Blair can contemplate with some personal satisfaction that every cloud has a silver lining.—Providence Journal.

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

The reason "talk is cheap" is because the supply exceeds the demand.—Columbus (O.) Post.

When a handsome girl comes out, her papa has to come down handsomely.—Boston Transcript.

He—"Do you know what I'd do if I were you?" She—"No; what?" "I'd marry me."—Puck.

He who thinks he can't win is sure to be right about it, for he has already lost.—Texas Siftings.

Buy your holiday presents early and your pocketbook will avoid the rush later on.—Chicago Tribune.

The street car furnishes the only platform upon which men of every shade of political belief will stand.—Chicago Times.

The great drawback to doing one's best is that the world at once demands lots more of the same quality.—Milwaukee Journal.

Opinions are to the mind what furniture is to a house. It isn't economy to have more than you know what to do with.—Washington Star.

The preacher has taken a long step toward the masses who has found out that he can talk for Christ without having on a long-tailed coat.—Ram's Horn.

Miss Emilia—"My sister fell and broke her limb." Old Mr. Jones—"Which limb?" Miss Emilia (blushingly)—"Well, if I must tell you, it was her left walker."—Harper's Bazar.

She (sternly)—"What was that noise I heard early in the hall this morning when you came in?" He (hastily)—"It must have been the day breaking, darling."—Baltimore American.

"A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the wisest men,"
But e'en some wise men think their wives
Must stand their nonsense all their lives.
—Puck.

In discharging a clerk for writing a novel of Washington official life, Commissioner Raum strengthens the old impression that the less said about the subject the better.—Philadelphia Times.

Hunker—"Ever since I can remember, Miss Flypp, I have searched for the beautiful, the true, and the good." Miss Flypp—"Oh, Mr. Hunker, this is so sudden. But you may speak to papa."—New York Sun.

MENTIONED ON THE STREETS.

That there is smoke and to spare over the city these days.

That the gas trustees are dickering for the purchase of 16 gas wells.

That the superintendent of parks will be another city officer hereafter.

That the hog market will not be profitable until colder weather comes to stay.

That the O. Y. C. proposes increasing its stock to $20 a share after January 1.

That theater parties are becoming the popular fad now to close evening dinners.

That Billy Moorehouse with his team, is one of the sights of the early morning.

That lady friends of the O. Y. C. kick vigorously against the proposed stag party.

That Mr. Abe Colton has been appointed manager of the steamer City of Toledo.

That the Y. M. C. B. A. will have a twirrel at its annual election of officers to-night.

That D. B. Smith is one of the most affable of gentlemen with whom to do business.

That Byron Ritchie and Frank Wright are right in it when it comes to delivering eulogiums.

That the cost of running the steamer City of Toledo for a season of 10 weeks is $20,000.

That Charley Griffin skipped town this morning on another week's hunt for the speakership.

That the asphalt pavements are not the most satisfactory to horses when they are slippery.

That Theosophy is making considerable headway in Toledo among some of the best thinkers.

That the Robison electric car's first trip to lower town serves as an alarm clock each morning.

That the roads leading to the city are not in the best condition just now, the mud being too plenty.

That the Y. M. C. A. athletes are getting in shape for the final pull for the medals on the 18th inst.

That President John Newell has been here personally examining into the causes of the late Lake Shore wreck.

That the gentleman who wrote the letter of inquiry to Sir Edwin Arnold never read "The Light of the World."

That there has been less crime in Toledo during the past four years than any city of its size in the country.

That the Bee's phone did some tall ringing answering the question, "Who's elected speaker at Washington?"

That a big time is expected at the Sixteenth anniversary of the West Toledo junior Bible class to-morrow night.

That the Ys expect generous patronage at their calendar carnival at Memorial hall on Friday and Saturday nights.

That Patrick Sarsfield Gilmore is once more making his farewell tour, and of course Toledo will be in on the farewell.

That Chris. Gerber would like to see the Toledo Traveling Men's association take an interest in the traveling men's home project.

That District Attorney Brinsmade is too busy looking after John Sherman's fences to attend to the United States district court.

That when the time comes either our own Griffin or McGrew, of Springfield, will capture all the Foraker votes in the house for speaker.

That Toledo cannot afford to lose any of its factories, and the board of trade or some other public spirited organization should give the matter attention.

That the Foraker men believe they have Sherman defeated, while the Shermanites are equally strong in the opinion that the boot is on the other leg.

That Hudson Fitch in his bare-back horse-riding constitutional before breakfast each morning on Madison street, presents as noble and stately appearance as ever Gen. Steadman did in his palmiest days.

That Doc Smith is not allowing the grass to grow under his feet in his little circuit for the deputy oil inspectorship, notwithstanding the claims made by other candidates that they have the place under their thumb.

Keeps a Loaded Silence.

Mr. Wanamaker's literary report of the operation of the postoffice department contains nothing whatever calculated to throw light on his connection with Bardsley or the robbery of the Keystone bank.—New York World.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Signor Crispi is writing his memoirs for posthumous publication.

Ex-Gov. Meriwether of Kentucky has very lately been celebrating his 92d birthday.

Amelie Rives-Chanler is building a studio on her country estate in Albemarle county, Va.

Ohio has sent but two soldiers to the United States senate, Stanley Matthews and Calvin S. Brice.

William Henry Hurlbert, indicted in London for perjury in the Gladys Evelyn case, has mysteriously disappeared from his accustomed haunts in New York.

There is talk of electing Gen. Lew Wallace president of the Wabash college at Crawfordsville, Ind., an institution that is likely to adopt the co-educational system.

Miss Harriett G. Hosmer, the American sculptor living in Rome, has sent word to this country that her bronze statue of Queen Isabella will be completed next year.

The Chilian minister in Washington is described as a rich, dapper and bandbox-like gentleman. He is small and delicate, and doesn't care much about discussing international matters.

The Earl of Erroll, a second cousin of Queen Victoria, is dead. His family title is one of the oldest in the Scottish peerage, but his connection with royalty came through his mother, who was an illegitimate daughter of King William IV.

A committee has been formed in Rome, of which Signor Cavalotti, Mr. Swinburne, Mr. Gladstone, Signor Bonghi and Signor Menotti Garibaldi are members, for the purpose of erecting a monument to Percy Shelly, the English poet who was drowned in 1823.

THE DYNAMITE FIEND.

Liberty must have some limits after all, even in the freest of countries. It cannot include bomb-throwers, whether they seek merely revenge for a fancied wrong to an unbalanced mind or plot the overthrow of a great social system.—Boston Globe.

Justice had a share, though a very small one, in the awful affair in Russell Sage's office. It was fitting and proper that the murderously-inclined Mr. Wilson should be blown to atoms while the object of his hate escaped serious injury.—Louisville Commercial.

In secrecy of procurement and ease of transportation dynamite affords untold advantages to the homicidal crank, and there can be no security against such insane outbreaks as that which threatened Russell Sage's life the other day until stringent laws shall have been enacted regulating the manufacture, sale and handling of high explosives. The next horror of this sort may be even more disastrous than the Sage affair.—Philadelphia Record.

The terrific force that can be lodged in a small package of dynamite is seen in the fact that the office was wrecked, four persons were killed and half a dozen others more or less hurt. As it is capable of being carried about under the most innocent forms, it would seem that stringent precautions for preventing it from falling into the hands of irresponsible persons are as necessary to the public safety as is the enforcement of the law against carrying concealed weapons.—Baltimore Sun.

DOM PEDRO.

The best that can be said of kings can be said of Dom Pedro. Born to the purple and ascending the throne in his infancy, his reign, covering half a century, was marked by a conscientiousness on his part that can appeal to history as an example of the best that kingship has for a people.—Indianapolis News.

The greatest and truest patriot of South America dies with Dom Pedro. He was the only emperor who was ever a genuine democrat. For Brazil he was what Alfred the Great was to England and George Washington to the United States. He held power only in trust for the people, and used it only as their servant. If Brazil were half as civilized and enlightened as he was it would soon become the leading nation of the American hemisphere.—St. Louis Republic.

THE FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

In this congress the speaker will be as he ought to be, the member who makes no speeches.

Among the other duties devolving on the Fifty-second congress is that of splitting all over 1,400 yards of new carpeting in the national capitol.—Kansas City Star.

It looks as if this congress would surpass all its predecessors in the number of investigations into administrative department that it will be called upon to undertake.—Providence Journal.

New statesmen are coming to the front. How many men can tell from what state Senator Kyle hails, or Senator Irby, or Hansborough, or Shoup, or Dubois. These names are all strange in our national politics, but it is a wide country, and who can expect to know all its great men?—Portland Argus.

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THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Discuss Some Matters Brought Up by Dr. Beckwith—Routine Business.

All members of the school board were present at the regular meeting last night, excepting Mr. Major and Mr. Trost.

Superintendent Compton submitted his monthly report of attendance which showed the following: High school, 434; grammar, 792; intermediate, 1,584; secondarly, 3,011; primary, 5,359; total, 11,435.

Truant Officer Disher submitted his monthly report which showed that he made 106 visits; took two to Lancaster, reported 31 incorrigibles to parents, and returned 13 truants to school.

A resolution was adopted to close the school for the Christmas holidays, Thursday evening, December 24, and open them the following Monday, January 4.

The fuel committee recommended that a contract be entered into with the Northwestern natural gas company by meter system at 8 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, the company to furnish the meters. A discussion followed, as usual, on the mention of gas. It was deemed advisable to lay in a supply of wood or coal at all schools so that in case of an emergency the schools would not have to be closed down on account of the cold. The matter was referred to the fuel committee with power to act.

Dr. Beckwith stated that while passing the Franklin school the other morning about 8:10 he found several children standing outside shivering with cold. He asked them why they didn't go inside out of the cold. They replied that they could not get in. The janitor was called out and he informed the doctor that he had orders not to open the doors until 8:30.

The doctor also stated that a little girl at the Raymer school was overcome by the cold while waiting for the doors to be opened, and it was a difficult task to resuscitate her. All the time the littlse one was suffering without teachers, within, gazed out of the window and pitied the child that she was compelled to remain in the cold.

Superintendent Compton said that the principals of all the schools had been instructed to let the children into the basement when the weather was bad. Often the basement would not admit all the pupils, and it was impossible to let them in the rooms, unless the teachers were present.

The sperintendent was directed to instruct all principals to open the basements at 8:15 in the morning and at 1:10 in the afternoon, in bad weather.

The committee on buildings was directed to investigate the matter of putting up storm doors at all of the buildings and report at the next meeting.

QUIET AND ORDERLY

Meeting of the Gas Trustees—Will Connect the Dead Ends—Routine Business.

Mr. Backus was not present at the meeting of the gas trustees last evening, and his absence somehow seemed to lend tranquility to the session. Such little business as came before the board was transacted in short order and without a hitch, and the meeting adjourned shortly after 9 o'clock.

H. C. Ellis was given the balance due him on the Detroit avenue line.

The question of surrending 40 acres of gas territory or paying the annual rental came up, and it was decided to pay the $250 rental and to drill more wells.

In accordance with the recommendation of the manager it was decided to connect up the "dead ends" and thus insure an equalization of the distribution of gas in the Fifth, Seventh, Third and Fourth wards. The estimated cost is about $7,000.

Joseph Bruhl made an application for gas on a line already laid but upon which he had advanced no money. It was granted him and one other.

Mr. Brown, from the committee on territory, made a report relative to the negotiations now pending for the purchase of more wells and territory. Four wells can be secured cheap and are close to the city main lines. It was decided to buy the wells. Several others were rejected.

Manager Heston reported that the Chester Pipe & Tube company's bill for $43,000 was due in six and nine months' time certificates without interest, to be issued at the date of delivery. Certificates of indebtedness in accordance with the recommendation of the committee were ordered.

S. E. Todd applied for a gas-fitter's license, and the same was granted.

Superintendent O'Herron reported two new wells, one with a capacity of 1,500,000 and one 1,750,000 feet daily, with a rock pressure of 175 pounds.

A MONSTER FAIR

To Be Held Under the Auspices of Grace Episcopal Church.

A meeting of the vestry of Grace Episcopal church on Stickney avenue, was held last evening, and a novel proposition was approved.

For some time the vestry and parishioners have been discussing the necessity of a new church building and how to secure the necessary funds. A few Sundays since a good-sized collection was taken up, and now it is proposed to hold a monster fair early next May, which is to exceed anything in this line ever held in Toledo, out of which it is expected not less than $5,000 will be secured. It is a big undertaking, but the grit of the society is equal to it.

Next Monday evening the Ladies' Aid society and the St. Andrews' brotherhood will meet at the church to take up their part in the work.

Grace church officials will have the hearty co-operation of the other Episcopal churches of the city, but the membership propose to do their full share in raising the necessary funds for the new building, which, it is expected, will cost $15,000. Sister churches of this denomination will wish the society success.

STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Fail to Sell—A Batch of the General Issue Taken Up.

The council committee on ways and means met last evening to sell street improvement bonds and, as usual, they didn't sell.

The bonds offered were as follows: Canton avenue, $10,393.444; Sherman street, $1,900; Ash street, $10,020.20; Ostrich Lane, $1,271.08; Bancroft street, $41,409.75; North Railroad avenue, $1,500; Mulberry street, $391.29, and general street improvement bonds, $91,850.

The only bid received was one from Spitzer & Co. for the last named lot at par, accrued interest and a premium of $150. They were awarded the bonds, and the auditor was authorized to sell the other bonds when he can for par and accrued interest.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

Toledo Society of Economic Inquiry Tomorrow Evening—Other Meetings.

The subject chosen for discussion at the meeting of the Economic society tomorrow evening is one of special interest just now to students of the problems of the day. It is the working of the postal telegraph and postal savings banks in England, in connection with the postoffice, and the recommendations of Postmaster-General Wanamaker in his last message advocates the adoption of a similar system in this country. These meetings are open to the public, and everyone is welcome to present his or her point of view on any subject under discussion. The meetings are held in the Steadman Business college rooms, which are at the corner of Summit and Adams streets, third floor of the building, entrance on Adams street.

Any persons desiring to donate house-furnishing articles, canned fruit, etc., to the Day Nursery can have their gifts called for if they will send full address and name of article they will donate to the nursery, 101 Oak street, between Huron and Superior; or the notice may be sent to the secretary of the nursery circle, Mrs. Sophie Waldron, 620 Hicks street. The finance committee of the circle, Mrs. Hubbell, chairman, meets at the nursery to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The regular meeting of Woodbridge W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon with Mrs. T. H. Van Arnum, of 513 Locust street. The president, Mrs. W. R. Jones, led the devotional exercises, after which the secretary's report was read and approved. The various committees, which were appointed, for the state convention, were dismissed. A motion was made and carried that a committee be appointed to procure a stove for a destitute family. The meeting was then adjourned until the first Tuesday in January at 2:30 o'clock, place of meeting to be announced later. Mrs. Kate Van Arnum favored the ladies with two violin solos which were exceedingly well rendered. Miss Van Arnum's violin bears the date of 1607.

The Sixth ward political club meets with Mrs. Rachel Godfrey, 626 Platt street, Friday afternoon. All East Side ladies invited.

The Christian Alliance meeting will be held at 525 Erie street to-morrow evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited.

The W. C. T. U. all over the world, offer a silent prayer at noon each day, for the good of their work. This is called the noontide prayer, and is a pretty observance. Members of these unions in Toledo do not neglect the custom.

The Central W. C. T. U. meets this afternoon with Mrs. Louise Eck, Madison street. The quarterly meeting of the Lucas county narcotic committee is with Mrs. E. A. Edwards, 717 Monroe street, to-morrow afternoon, beginning at 2 p. m.

Regular monthly meeting of the New Century club on Friday evening with Mrs. Rosa L. Segur and Mrs. Ellen S. Fray, 916 Broadway. Essay and discussion on "A Government Machine or a Free People."

The Woman's Working band will hold its annual Christmas market in the parlors of the Central Congregational church to-morrow from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Dinner will be served from 11:30 a. m. to 2 p. m. Supper from 6 to 8 p. m. Lots of good things to eat.

The ladies of the Alexis W. C. T. U. are holding a series of very interesting meetings under the leadership of Jeanette L. Olmstead, state superintendent of the W. C. T. U. social purity department. Last night was devoted to a young people's meeting held at the residence of Mrs. William Powlsland; to-night Miss Olmstead will preach at the Congregational church at Alexis; Wednesday afternoon a mother's meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Frank Wendall from 11 a. m. until 5 p. m. Miss Olmstead will give the ladies a social purity talk. Thursday evening there will be a temperance sermon and Friday evening a gospel sermon. Saturday evening will be devoted to suffrage and there will be several addresses on this subject. Sunday night Miss Olmstead will talk on social purity. The Toledo ladies are earnestly invited to be present. All the evening meetings open at 7:30 o'clock.

NOVEMBER WEATHER.

What the State Bulletin Shows for Last Month.

The monthly bulletin of the Ohio Meteorological bureau, issued from the central station at Columbus, shows that during the month of November the mean atmospheric pressure for the state was 30.12 inches. The highest, 30.79 inches, occurred on the 18th, at Logan; the lowest, 28.95 inches, occured on the 23d at Cleveland, and is the lowest November barometric reading since the opening of the bureau. The range between the highest and lowest readings, 1.84 inches, is the most excessive, within a short period of time (five days) of any November record.

The mean temperature was 40 degrees. The mean precipitation was 4.97 inches. Heavy continuous precipitation occurred on the 10th and 11th, 15th, 16th, 17th; 21st, 22d and 23d, and greatly relieved the droughty conditions. The ground being loose from preceding frosts absorbed the water readily until thoroughly soaked, and thus prevented any very heavy freshets in the streams and rivers of the state. Verifications of weather forecasts from Washington, distributed to 55 cities and towns are 93 for weather and temperature. Three cold wave warnings ordered during the month were fully justified.

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BISHOP GALLAGHER DEAD.

New Orleans, Dec. 8.—The Rt. Rev. John N. Gallagher, protestant episcopal bishop of the diocese of Louisiana, died at 11:40 last night of Bright's disease.

OCEAN MARINE.

New York, Dec. 8.—Arrived—Amsterdam, from Rotterdam; Rhaetia, from Hamburg.

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Said parties are required to answer on or before the 9th day of January, 1892, or judgment will be taken against them.

STEPHEN BROPHY, Att'y for Plaintiff.

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Always wuz abusin' him—
Rough an' rougher usin' him,
Love an' all refusin' him,
Though his tears 'ud fall;
Didn't think o' losin' him—
Not at all!

He, poor feller! he'd jest sigh,
With a waterin' o' the eye—
Say: "It's all my fault," and try
"I" stave 'em off awhile.
"Some day I'll lay down an' die—
"Then they'll smile."

An' he did. God's sometimes heap
Kinder ter His poor lost sheep
Than the ones 'at has their keep;
So, one darkened day,
He jest told him: "Go to sleep,"
In His own kind way.

Then the poor, sad, tearful eyes
Smiled their thanks ter God's own skies
With a kind o' sweet surprise—
And the heart growed still.
Said one of 'em: "Thar he lies;
'Tis God's will!"

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—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

BEESWAX.

Of the 1,900 policemen in Chicago, 1,555 are Irishmen.

There are three hundred thousand blind people in Europe.

Only one couple in 11,500 live to celebrate their diamond wedding.

Wareham, Mass., has supplied 42,000 barrels of cranberries this season.

A gold coin depreciates 5 per cent. of value in sixteen years of constant use.

An average man of 50 has spent 6,000 days, or nearly twenty years, in sleep.

Fifty thousand Christmas trees will be sent from Maine to New York this season.

Men who jump at conclusions generally fall outside the breastworks.—Milwaukee Journal.

A new herring bank, 100 miles long, has been discovered off the west coast of Newfoundland.

Agricultural property cannot now be sold in Scotland except at a ruinous loss; but mineral estates are in brisk demand.

The temple of Hom-mon-ji, at Inkegami, begun in 1282 and finished in 1307, is one of the most famous religious structures in Japan.

The "Imperial" diamond, which was recently purchased by the Nizam of Hyderabad from a London dealer, is valued at $1,500,000.

At the end of the last year there were 3,501 kilometers of telegraphs in Guatemala. In the twelve months 603,423 messages were transmitted.

An Augusta man has recovered a verdict of $5,000 against a bank which refused to honor his check, although he had money there on deposit.

It has been figured out that the world's fair will cost $21,000,000, and that $16,000,000 of this sum must be expended before a dollar of revenue comes in.

People in Japan are called by the family name first, the individual or what we call Christian name next, and then the honorifice—thus, "Smith Peter Mr."

Within sixty-two years Mexico has had 54 presidents, one regency and one empire, and nearly every change of government has been effected by violence.

A locomotive has just been built at the Crewe works of the London & Northwestern railway which is capable of drawing a train at the rate of 100 miles an hour.

An oil painting owned in Philadelphia shows, it is claimed, that the first man to wear russet shoes in America was Christopher Columbus; that, in fact, he landed in them.

Wherever there is land to loot you will find the English near by. They are the great land pirates of modern times. England possesses 1,900,445 square miles of African territory.

The San Francisco-Honolulu cable can not be landed at San Francisco on account of the irregularities of the harbor bottom. Monterey bay may be selected as the landing place.

Lake Ontario is now lower than ever before since it was known to white men. It is estimated that it would require 2,541,000,000 tons of water to bring it up to its normal level.

Among novel things in jewelry is a ring composed of seven fine gold wires, each incrusted with small diamonds, rubies, sapphires or emeralds. The wires are twisted together in a band.

A story from the "far west" says: An Arizona farmer has a tame rattlesnake to guard his premises instead of a dog. The report does not say whether the snake sleeps in the farmer's boots.

A certain train running daily between Chicago and Dwight has been christened "the jag train," from the number of people traveling by it to Dr. Keeley's institute for the treatment of dipsomania.

The population of China is now estimated at 350,000, which is almost equal to the entire population of Europe. The Chinese national debt is one of the smallest, amounting to only $38,500,000.

A lot of wild dogs infest Sherman county, Kansas, and make life a burden to the inhabitants. They are supposed to be hounds returned to a wild state. They run together and attack both man and beast.

An application has been received from a Wilmington (Del.) woman for space at the Chicago fair for the exhibition of a collection of coffins, containing subjects, showing the effects of her embalming process.

Thomas Mason, a muscular colored man of Arundel county, Maryland, killed an infuriated bull which attacked him, by seizing the animal by the horns and throwing him with violence sufficient to break his back.

Talk about your Harvard and the state university at Ann Arbor, they are "not in it" when it comes to numbers. Ten thousand Moslem students attend the University of the Great Mosque of El Aga, in Cairo.

Hitherto the British bushel has been reckoned as sixty-one pounds of grain, but, a change having been made in the standard weight, the bushel in future is to be defined by the more reasonable number of sixty pounds.

According to the Carrollton (Mo.) Republican there are six William Stantons in a Carroll county neighborhood. This is the way people designate them: John Billy, Duly Bill, Bill Dewy, Basket Bill, Pomp and Fighting Bill.

Modern civilization has cheapened fruit and this is one of the triumphs of the age. Apples were worth from twelve and one-half cents to twenty-five cents each in the region of Henry VII. Now a peck does not cost more.

The latest ex-Confederate to claim the honor of being the youngest veteran is William S. Haymond, of Fairmont, W. Va., who says he as a courier on the staff of General Imboden in 1862, when he was but ten years of age.

The Mormons who fled to Mexico about five years ago are flourishing in their new homes, a little east of the Sierra Madre mountains, in about 30 degrees north latitude, where the fertile Casas Grandes valley gives them plenty of rich land to till.

Consul Heath says that many of the houses in Catania are built of the lava which poured forth from Mt. Etna in great streames on the neighboring clay beds. This mixture of clay and lava is now mixed and used to great advantage in building.

The six largest cities of the world in order of their population are as follows: London (census of 1890), 4,421,661; Paris (1886), 2,344,350; Berlin (1890), 1,574,885; New York (1890), 1,513,301; Canton, China (estimated), 1,500,000; Vienna (1888), 1,350,000.

All of the foreign emigration is not coming to this country. The growth of the Argentine Republic in the past 30 years has been remarkable. According to recent statistics the population of the republic is now 4,000,000, as against 1,350,000 in 1861.

A Lincoln county (Oregon) judge has been severely rebuked by the state supreme court for reading a newspaper, eating candy and otherwise conducting himself in an undignified and unbecoming manner during the progress before him of an important murder trial.

A firm of chemists in Birmingham place upon all poisons sold by them directions as to the antidote which should be applied in cases where the poisons are taken accidentally or intentionally by human beings. This is a wise precaution, and should be adopted by all establishments manufacturing poison. It should also apply to druggists who sell poisons.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

The Old Board Adjourns, the New Organizes.

T. H. Walbridge Elected President of the Board—Report of the Outgoing Administration—Toledo's Parks—Their Growth and Cost.

The newly appointed park commissioners, Messrs. Potter, Schenck, Walbridge and Wade, with Mayor Emmick as an ex-officio member of the board, met at the mayor's office yesterday and organized. They qualified by presenting a bond for $20,000 each and were then sworn in by George Kirkby, mayor's clerk.

Mayor Emmick was elected temporary chairman.

Mr. Wade moved that Mr. Schenck be elected president.

Mr. Schenck declined in favor of Mr. Walbridge, whom, he said, was entitled to the office as his was the shortest term.

After some discussion Mr. Walbridge consented to accept the position and, Mr. Wade withdrawing his motion, Mr. Walbridge was elected. Mr. Schenck, on motion, casting the vote of the board and the mayor announcing the same.

Miss Lucy Krieger, assistant clerk, thereupon presented each member with a neatly sharpened lead pencil as a badge of office.

Mr. Schenck was elected secretary.

Mr. Potter read the laws governing the board, and Messrs. Potter and Schenck were appointed a committee on rules and regulations.

Malcolm E. Williams presented a petition for the appointment to the position of engineer and surveyor. It was placed on file.

Superintendent Robert Keiser, the present superintendent, was, on motion, retained in his present position until his successor is appointed. The same rule applies to all employes under him.

President Walbridge presented the report of the outgoing board and it was ordered placed on file.

The further discussion of appointments was postponed until the next meeting.

The old board met at the office of T. H. Walbridge, and after turning its goods and chattels, assets and liabilities, to the new board, adjourned sine die.

Following is the report of the old board:

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the City of Toledo:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to submit the report for the eleven months ending November 30, 1891.

The following is a list of all the parks and triangles with their location and acreage:

	Acres.
Riverside park, Broadway	46.31
City park, Lenk and Nebraska ave.	7.19
Court House park	6.70
Memorial Hall park	1.47
Washington park, Grand and Woodruff aves. and Forest street	.94
Lincoln park, Lincoln and Prospect streets	.86
Oliver Street park	.36
Park Place, Ashland and Woodruff avenues	.35
Swayne Place, Woodruff, Madison and Twenty-third streets	.34
Monroe and Woodruff	.32
Woodruff	.27
Orange, Beech and Huron	.27
Cherry and Canton avenue	.17
Finlay Place	.15
Summit and Perry streets	.08
Adams and Empire	.07
Monroe, Nettie and Twenty-second streets	.07
Dorr and Washington	....
Washington and Fifteenth	....
Monroe and Lawrence avenue, 2	....
Monroe and Lincoln streets	....
Cherry and Franklin avenue	....
Grove street	....

To take care of these places, with the exception of Court House park, there has been expended the sum total of $6,381.16.

The following is an amount of all the moneys received and expended:

Receipts.

December, 1890, duplicate	$3,420 00
June, 1891	3,298 15
	$6,718 15

Disbursements.

Overdrawn January 1, 1891	$ 230 76
Salary	1,503 33
Labor	3,840 87
Tools and supplies	452 74
Insurance	17 00
Sewer on Vance street	167 20
Sidewalk	325 85
Plants	74 17
Balance on hand	106 23
	$6,718 15

Specifications of expenditures for the different places follows:

R. Kaiser, assistant superintendent, 11 months at $60.00	$ 660 00
R. Kaiser, for use of horse 11 months at $20.00	220 00
William Hahn, keeper of City park, 11 months, at $400	440 00
O. Schroeter, Sec., 11 months, at $200 per annum	183 33
Bostwick, Braun & Co., tools	5 55
J. Steiner, lawn roller	10 00
Schunk, Hillenkamp & Co., tools	15 64
Merrell Bros., fertilizer	14 00
Brown, Eager & Hull, stationery	1 50
Total	$1,550 02

Here follows the cost for improving and maintaining the various parks:

Riverside park	$1,073 16
Greenhouse at same	283 43
Swayne Place	106 48
Finlay Place	120 00
Cherry and Franklin ave	24 26
Monroe and Lawrence ave	171 65
Washington and Dorr streets	112 00
Washington and Fifteenth	25 00
Woodruff, near Lawrence	75 00
Washington park	175 00
Park Place	225 00
Shaw and Monroe streets	125 00
Orange, Beech and Huron	75 00
Cherry and Canton ave	75 00
Monroe, Nettie and Twenty-second streets	110 00

February 24, 1888, Mr. T. H. Walbridge was elected superintendent and has since then had everything under his especial supervision. How well he has succeeded with the limited means, the conditions of the different parks and triangles all over the city have shown. Mr. Rob. Kaiser has acted as assistant to Mr. Walbridge.

Mr. Kaiser was appointed to his position April 1, 1886, at a salary of $720 per annum, and an allowance for a horse, of $240. He occupies the Riverside park lodge.

The keeper of the city park is William Hahn, who lives at the City park lodge, and receives a salary of $40 per month.

The salary of the secretary is $200 per annum.

The Court House park is taken care of by John Luckow, who also takes care of Memorial park. He receives $50 per month and $15 for horse

Court House park is taken care of by the park commissioners and county commissioners jointly, the city paying 44 8-10 per cent. and the county 55.2-10 per cent. of all expenses.

The county commissioners pay all bills approved by the park board and expect a yearly settlement of the account.

The last account this board had from the county auditor was from September 1,1888, to March 28, 1891. The amount of this bill audited by this board was $3,992 74; 44 8-10 per cent. of this is $1,788 75, which is still due.

Since then the following have been approved by this board:

John Luckow, keeper, eight months, at $50	$ 400 00
John Luckow, for horse, eight months, at $15	120 00
Labor	561 50
Bostwick, Braun & Co., for lawn mower, hose and tools	67 14
George Heinl, plants	360 00
Rydman, seds	61 18
	$1,509 82
44 8-10 per cent. of this amount	665 53
Amount due to March 28	1,788 75
Amount due the county to date	$2,454 28

I have the pleasure to acknowledge the courtesy and consideration shown me by you, gentlemen.

Fully appreciating the kindness received thereby, I return my sincere thanks. Respectfully submitted,

O. SCHROETER, Secretary.

CORONER ROULET BUSY

These Days—Some of the Matters He Has on Hand.

Coroner Roulet has been kept very busy during this month, and he has not yet cleared up his work. Yesterday, besides holding the inquest in the McDonald case, he viewed the body of Actor James, the last victim of the Lake Shore wreck, and this morning he viewed the body of a child which died from inanition. He was to have held an inquest this morning in the matter of the death of Charles Bolander, who was killed at Rockwell Junction last week, but this has been postponed until Thursday morning. To-morrow morning he will inquire into the death of Dr. E. Smith, who was killed by a Belt Line electric car Friday.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

"The Bottom of the Sea" at the People's.

"Our Irish Visitors" To-Night—Sol Smith Russell in a New Play—Other Attractions Coming.

W. A. Brady's Bottom of the Sea opened at the People's last night for a week's engagement and were greeted by a big house. This piece was here last season and the large audiences it played to made it well known. The play is a strong one and its scenic and spectacular effects are novel and wonderful. The scene at the bottom of the sea is thrilling in the extreme, and the illusion of the divers far down in the depths was as near perfect as is possible and has been improved since last season.

The leading man, George Webster, as Alexis Banilli, is not equal to George Barnum in the same part, but he has a superior support, and others in the company made up for his deficiencies.

A novelty that made a great hit was the introduction, during the second act, of two live babies as the twins of Barney and Denizette. They received the most enthusiastic applause of the evening.

Our Irish Visitors.

The old favorites, Murray and Murphy, in Our Irish Visitors, will give the public a good laugh at Wheeler's to-night. The piece is said to be much improved and many new songs with catchy music will be introduced.

People's Next Week.

Hands Across the Sea will be the attraction at the People's theater next week, and among the members of this company is Miss Carrie Osterman, who has proven herself a most clever soubrette in the part of Lucy, which was last season carried by her sister.

Miss Osterman has created quite a furore in the eastern cities and has received numerous offers from leading managers for prominent parts in new comedies next season. Miss Osterman, by the way, is a Toledo girl. Numerous of her friends have arranged for theater parties next week at the People's theater, and she will be the recipient of quite a reception. She is a sister of Mrs. Wall, who is the wife of the chief of the fire department.

All the Comforts of Home.

One of the latest successes of Mr. William Gillette is the roaring comedy, All the Comforts of Home. Its run in New York on the production is one of the events of the season. It is bright, wholesome, clean, full of laughable posings and situations, and occasionally here and there a dash of sentiment. Many who have enjoyed an evening with this merry household prefer it to the popular Private Secretary that was always conceded Mr. Gillette's masterwork. The company, Mr. Charles Frohman's experienced selection, embodies a talented list of artists, and the characters are portrayed with the same careful attention and details of stage with the equally finished taste and care that characterizes all of Mr. Frohman's attractions. All the Comforts of Home, with an excellent cast and original scenery, will be presented at the Wheeler opera house, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 10 and 11.

Peaceful Valley.

Sol. Smith Russell, the sunniest and most genial gentleman on the stage, will be at Wheeler's next Saturday evening in his latest and greatest play, entitled Peaceful Valley. In it Mr. Kidder has again shown one of the many attempts of the stage to get away from the fuss and feathers of unreal mock heroics, and come back to the simple, earnest prettiness of real life in its best aspects.

In these days of all sorts of miasmatic vapor settling thick and sickly upon literature and the stage, it is like a tonic breath to sit for an evening in the healthful atmosphere of such a play as Peaceful Valley as Mr. Sol. Smith Russell plays it. His Hosea Howe is a unique characterization upon the stage, and yet a character that the world will recognize at sight.

No better or more complete company of dramatic artists than that supporting Mr. Sol Smith Russell this season can be found anywhere. The company includes such names as Charles C. Brandt, Arthur Byron, Alfred Hudson, Edward Vroom, R. F. Sullivan, Minnie Radcliffe, Anna Belmont and Lillian Chantore.

Sale of seats opens to-morrow morning.

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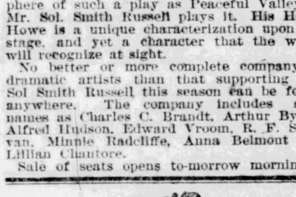

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MONEY LOANED ON GRAIN

Details of the System in Use in Russia.

The Railroad Companies Furnish the Cash.

If the Sum Advanced on the Grain is Not Repaid the Product is Sold at Auction to Make Good the Loan.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Some time ago Secretary Blaine instructed Mr. J. M. Crawford, consul-general at St. Petersburg, to investigate and report the operations of the system in Russia by which farmers are loaned money on such grain as they may store in warehouses. The report has just been made public, and, in view of the agitation of the Farmers' alliance in this country, is important at this time. It is as follows:

In obedience to instructions from the department, I have prepared the following report upon the system now in practice in Russia of making advances on farmers' grain stored in warehouses or delivered to officials of the several railroads of the country. Inasmuch as the rules and regulations touching this important question are not published for public distribution, I am indebted to the Imperial ministery of finances for an official copy of the "Laws Governing Advances on Cereals on Account of the Imperial Bank of Russia," from which I have been courteously permitted to make the following summary for the use of the department:

(1) Advance on grain may be made by any railyway company authorized by the imperial ministry of finance.

(2) The amount to be advanced is in direct ratio to the prices current for cereals at the nearest market place, and must not exceed 60 per cent. of the value of the grain as thus estimated. In case the loan is granted for a period of six weeks or less, an advance of 80 per cent. of the estimated value may be obtained.

(3) The rate of interest on these loans is fixed by the Imperial bank, and is usually 6 per cent., varying, however, a little from this rate according to the condition of the grain and the nature of the security. This interest is paid in advance and for the length of time it has been actually granted.

(4) In addition to the regular interest, as above stipulated, the borrower is charged: (a) 2 per cent. per annum for a sinking fund, but the percentage for the sinking fund must not exceed one-third of 1 per cent. of the total loan; (b) a sum not exceeding one-third of 1 per cent. as remuneration to the railway company for the trouble of negotiating the loan.

(5) Loans are granted usually for six months, or without fixing the time in advance; but loans may be made for a longer period, as the necessity of the case demands. In the latter case the loan must be settled not later than one year from the date thereof.

(6) The owners of the grain stored in the warehouses, or their legal representatives are entitled, under the control of the railway company's agent, to inspect the grain from time to time, and to take measures in order to protect the same from being damaged or to demand that such measures be taken by the railway company on their account. In case of need, the railway company may take these measures on account of the owner, without being requested by the latter, and charge the expenses thereof to the owner.

(7) The natural loss in weight resulting from the above operation is fixed by the regulations issued by a council of officials appointed by the several railway companies.

(8) The grain is returned by the railway company on repaying the advances made and other charges, as mentioned above.

(9) If the sum advanced is not repaid when due and there is no good reason to grant an extension, the grain is sold by the railway company at public auction.

(10) Such sale may be made imperative under the following circumstances and regulations: (a) If the stored grain shows signs of being irreparably damaged; (b) if the fear is entertained that the value of the grain stored in warehouses cannot cover the charges for storage, the amount advanced, and other expenses. The receiver of the loan must, in all cases, be informed at least seven days in advance of the date of sale.

(11) The railway company, after deducting the expenses of the public sale, covers all its own charges, i. e., the amount advanced, charges for storage, and other charges allowed by the government, before all other liabilities of the owner, even if he be bankrupt, can be recognized.

(12). Such railway companies as are authorized to make advances on grain are entitled (a) to grant loans from their own means not being previously advanced by the Imperial bank; (b) to build or hire warehouses for storing such grain for a period of six months, charging for storage a certain per centage, which is fixed for each depot by the Ministry of Ways and Communications, not exceeding one-third of the copeck per pood per month, and to engage special agents for the purpose of selling grain on behalf of the owner, charging a commission therefor not exceeding 1 per cent. of the total received.

(13). The railway companies must bear the entire responsibility for the advance made on behalf of the Imperial bank.

(14). If the amount due to the Imperial bank is not paid in seven days after the sale of the goods or within seven days after the loan expires, the railway company must pay, besides the interest to the day of settlement, a fine of one-half of 1 per cent. a month for the amount overdue.

(15). The reserve fund mentioned above, may be used, by permission of the Ministeries of Ways and Communications and of Finances, as a gratuity to railway officials and to cover any loss sustained by the railway company in the operation of the loan.

(16). The railway company may make advances (a) on grain intended for transportation and on grain stored in warehouses at the starting point, charging for storage not more than one-third of one copeck per pood per month; (b) on grain received by the railway company for transport, whether stored or loaded upon the cars at once or not; (c) on grain arrived at the place of destination and stored there in warehouses until sold or consigned, the charges remaining in all cases the same.

(17). Advances cannot be made on grain which is already hypothecated or upon which any unsettled charges whatever are resting.

(18). In fixing the highest per centage for advances on grain the prices current at the place of destination are taken as the basis of such calculation; provided, however, that such place of destination is a market place. In making such calculation the usual expenses of transportation are reckoned as a portion of the sum loaned. The highest advances which may be made by any depot and for any kind of grain are fixed by the respective railway companies, they in turn being responsible to the Imperial bank.

(19). The charges mentioned in paragraph 4, viz, one-third of 1 per cent. of the sum advanced, are entirely put into the reserve fund of the respective railway companies and placed to the credit of the Imperial bank. This one-third of 1 per cent. so advanced is thus divided: two-thirds goes to the railway company at the starting point and one-third to the railway company at the place of destination for the management of the loan.

(20). When an advance is granted an endorsement to that effect has to be made both on the railway note and its duplicate, mentioning the date on which the advance is made, the rate of interest, and other charges on the loan. Besides this, the receiver of the loan gives a special receipt for the money advanced either on grain which is intended for transport or which has been received to be stored in warehouses. When the loan is repaid the receipt and other papers are returned to the borrower.

(21). In case of advances made at the place of destination, the railway companies are entitled to retain from the advance of all their charges except those charged for the operation of the loan. An indorsement to this effect is made both on the railway note and on its duplicate.

(22). The officers of the different railway companies are compelled to inform the other companies, as well as the Imperial bank, of the amount of grain received in warehouses at the different railway depots, as well as to advertise this fact in the local newspapers, that all may know when a given warehouse is full and unable to receive any more grain.

(23). The owner of grain which is intended for transportation and is stored in warehouses may receive it back on demand on paying the usual fee for storage, viz: one-third of one copeck per pood per month, and on settlement of all legal claims relative thereto.

(24). If the owner of the grain wishes it warehoused at the place of its destination, he must declare such intention in advance, and an indorsement to that effect must be made on the railway note and its duplicate; provided, however, if the warehouses at the place of destination are full, such a request can not be granted.

(25). Cleaning, resboveling, and screening of grain in warehouses must only be done under the supervision of the railway company. Before taking measures to prevent the warehoused grain from being damaged the railway company must inform the owner or his representative of the necessity of such action.

(26). Should the railway company be compelled to sell the hypothecated grain for reasons mentioned in paragraph 10, the order for the sale may be revoked if the advance, or a reasonable part of it, be repaid seven days after the receipt of the notice of the intended sale.

In addition to the general rules governing this question, as enumerated above, I have learned that no distinction is made between farmers and so-called middlemen. The loans are made only on the grain, and it is of no consequence who delivers it and negotiates the loan.

All such loans are made in paper rubles, the regular and only real currency of this empire, and these paper rubles are taken from the regular governmental issues.

This scheme went into effect on June 14-26, 1888, and at the present day it is generally adopted throughout the country, and business is carried on under it on a very large scale. I should also add that the scheme gives great satisfaction to the farmers, many of whom declare that it has been an essential feature of successful farming in Russia.

DOLLAR GAS

Decided Upon by the Board of Councilmen.

Consolidated Extension Out Central Avenue—Other Business Before the Board.

All members were present at the meeting of the board of councilmen last evening. The session was not long and the only debate of importance was on the ordinance fixing the price of illuminating gas.

An ordinance was passed granting to the Metropolitan Street Railway company the right to construct an extension of its line in Central avenue from Cherry street to the westerly city limits.

An ordinance was passed to grade Bay street from the River road to Tiffin avenue.

Several abatement claims from the judiciary committee, amounting to $1,428.85, were approved. Resolutions were adopted for numerous electric lights on Miami street, Lawrence avenue, Superior street, Forrer street, Robinwood avenue, Champlain street, Maplewood avenue and Starr avenue; also for sidewalks on Wilmot street, Oak street and Collingwood avenue.

The first business from the board of aldermen was the ordinance fixing the price of illuminatiag gas, which came up for concurrence in the amendment fixing the rate at $1 per thousand.

Mr. Neuendorf moved to amend this by fixing the rate at 75 cents per thousand with a penalty of 10 cents if not paid by the 10th of the month.

Mr. Morris opposed this on the ground that it would be an injustice to the company. He had examined the books, he said, and didn't believe they could afford to furnish gas for that.

He moved as an amendment to Mr. Neuendorf's amendment that the price be fixed at $1.10 per 1,000 and $1.25 when not paid before the 10th.

This amendment was lost by a vote of 14 to 4, and Mr. Neuendorf's amendment met a like fate by a vote of 15 to 3. A motion to lay on the table was also lost.

There was no penalty provided in the amendment of the alderman, and Mr. Pheatt moved to amend so as to make the price $1.15 when not paid before the 10th. This was carried, and then Mr. Pheatt moved as another amendment that consumers be not compelled to pay when the average power of gas furnished is less than 22 candle power. There was some discussion over this but it was adopted.

Another motion offered by Mr. Pheatt was also adopted requiring the Toledo Gas Light and Coke company to place an instrument in the office of the city clerk to test the power of the gas.

The ordinance as thus amended was then passed.

Other business from the upper board was adopted.

The report of the ways and means committee as printed elsewhere was filed.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

Can a Free Coinage Measure Get Through?

Republican Noses Have Been Counted and There Are Not Enough to Override a Veto.

New York, Dec. 8.—A morning paper (republican) states that on the responsibility of the republican United States senate, it is able to announce that a bill providing for the free and unlimited coinage of silver cannot pass the Fifty-second congress over the veto of President Harrison. The paper affirms that it has made a poll of the entire congress, and the result announced above is based on replies in writing from 280 members of the United States senate and house of representatives. The poll has occupied several weeks' time. The result indicates that since the last congress adjourned there has been no abatement of the free silver sentiment at the west and south, and democrats and republicans in the silver states are stated to be, with few exceptions, bent to the doctrine, but that overwhelming majority of the republican party in congress is pledged to maintain the single gold standard at all hazards and limit the output of silver.

In the last congress 101 democratic representatives in the house voted for the Bland bill. The new congress has in the house 236 democrats, 87 republicans and eight farmers' alliance. Of the 244 democrats and farmers' alliance men 162 are in favor of a free coinage bill. The majority is so great that the president's veto will be no obstacle to any bill which the house desires really to become a law, for the democrats, without the farmers' alliance, have more than the two-thirds vote necessary to pass a bill over the executive veto.

The senate is republican by a majority of nine—not large enough to prevent the first passage of a free coinage or a new tariff bill, but large enough to make certain the defeat of any bill vetoed by the president. The paper gives the result of its canvass of the senate by individual members because the disposition of a free coinage bill must finally depend upon that body alone. Of the house of representatives a table by states is given showing how democrats and republicans are now disposed to vote. A few of the interesting opinions of senators and representatives are also given. Most of the replies were either "yes" or "no," and the result appears in a table. A summary, however, sets forth the result of the canvass to have been made:

Summary: republican senators, 48; democratic senators, 39; farmers' alliance, 1.

Number of republicans in favor of unlimited coinage, 18; number of democrats in favor of unlimited coinage, 35; number of farmers' alliance in favor of unlimited coinage, 1; total number of senators in favor of free coinage, 54; number of votes required in the senate to pass a free silver bill over the president's veto, 59; number of republicans opposed to free coinage, 30; number of democrats opposed to free coinage, 3; doubtful democrats (Brice), 1.

PRESS THOU HIS HAND.

If thou dost bid thy friend farewell
But for one night though that farewell may be,
Press thou his hand in thine.
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And days have grown to months, and months to lagging years,
Ere they have looked in loving eyes again.
Parting at best is underlaid with tears and pain,
Therefore, lest sudden death should come between,
Or time or distance clasp with pressure firm
The hand of him who goeth forth,
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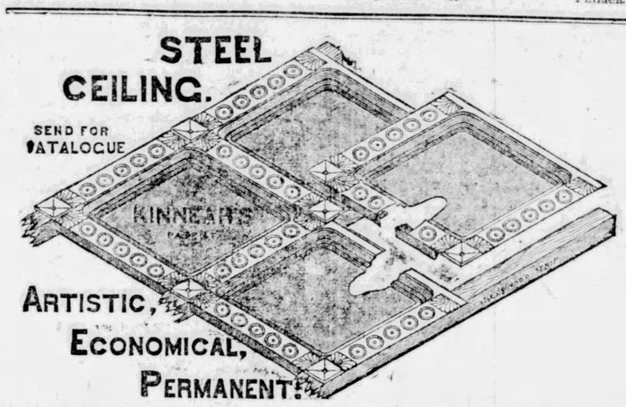

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$1000—Franklin avenue, near Cherry, cottage.
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Bos. and Chi. Accom.	9:45 a m	*5:05 p m
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New York Express..	*10:55 p m	*9:50 a m
Chicago Mail.....	*3:00 a m	
Buffalo Accom.....	7:35 p m	6:10 a m
Norwalk Accom.....	1:30 p m	3:40 p m
Sandusky Division East.		
Bos. and N. Y. Spe..		5:00 p m
N. Y. and Chi. lim..	*3:25 a m	*11:55 p m
Chi. and N. Y. Ex..	*1:55 p m	*10:30 p m
Buff. and Chi. Accom.	9:35 a m	5:12 p m
Atlantic Express....		*4:05 a m
Accommodation.....	7:45 p m	5:50 a m
Fast Mail.....		*2:55 p m
Old Road—West.		
Chicago Accom.....	*9:15 a m	*7:50 p m
Bos. and Chi. Spe...		*7:40 a m
Fast N.Y. and Bos.Ex	*10:25 p m	
Fast Mail.....	*2:50 p m	
Michigan Accom.....	4:40 p m	9:50 a m
Air Line Division—West.		
Chi. and Bos. Spe....	4:55 p m	
Atlantic Express.....	3:55 a m	
N. Y. and Chi. lim..	11:50 p m	*3:30 a m
Chicago Fast Mail....		*3:10 a m
Chicago Express.....		*2:00 p m
Pacific Express.....		*11:10 p m
Buff. and Chi. Accom	4:45 p m	10:05 a m
Kendallville Accom..	9:20 a m	6:00 p m
Jackson Branch.		
Express	9:15 a m	9:50 a m
Express	4:40 p m	7:50 p m
Lansing Branch.		
Express	2:50 p m	9:50 a m
Express	10:25 p m	
Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids Branch.		
Express.....	2:50 p m	11:10 p m
Express	10:25 p m	9:50 a m
Detroit Branch.		
Express.....	9:40 a m	7:42 a m
Express	4:42 p m	10:10 a m
Express	8:20 p m	4:05 p m
CINCINNATI, HAMILTON and DAYTON.		
Union Depot.		
Cin. and Ind. Express	*5:25 a m	10:15 a m
Cin. and Ind. Express	4:00 p m	*3:30 p m
Cin. and Ind. Express	9:00 p m	*11:40 p m
Cincinnati Express...	11:20 a m	6:45 a m
Cin. Ex. Sun. only	9:40 a m	
Find. and R. G. Ex.	8:00 a m	6:45 a m
Find. and R. G. Ex.	4:00 p m	3:30 p m
Find. and R. G. Ex.	9:00 p m	6:05 p m
Find. and R. G. Ex.	11:20 a m	10:15 a m

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Union Depot.		
Pacific Express.....	*8:55 p m	*12:10 a m
Kansas City Express.	4:15 p m	10:20 a m
St. Louis Express....	*7:40 a m	*5:20 p m
Defiance Accom.	8:00 a m	4:45 p m
MICHIGAN CENTRAL.		
Mackinac and Det.E.	9:10 p m	4:20 p m
N. Y. and Bos. Ex ..	*10:05 a m	*7:45 a m
New York Express..	*11:20 p m	*0:05 p m
Detroit Express.....	*3:20 p m	*5:30 a m
WHEELING and LAKE ERIE RAILWAY.		
Pitts., Steub. Mar. Ex	6:25 p m	7:40 a m
Through Express....	2:00 p m	1:00 p m
Cleve. and N. Y. Ex.	*9:45 a m	4:50 p m
Mixed Local.....	4:30 p m	6:45 a m
Mixed Oak Harbor....		*7:45 p m
Orrville Ex., un. only.		5:20 p m
CINCINNATI, JACKSON and MACKINAW.		
Chicago and Tol. Ex..	12:10 p m	6:30 p m
Mail and Express....	8:35 p m	7:35 a m
Local.....	3:50 p m	6:10 a m
TOLEDO, ANN ARBOR and NORTH MICHIGAN.		
Cadillac Mail.....	10:20 p m	5:45 a m
Clare Express.....	12:55 p m	2:40 p m
Ann Arbor Accom....	8:55 a m	10:20 a m
TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS and KANSAS CITY.		
Union Depot.		
St. Louis Day Ex....	10:20 p m	6:25 a m
St. Louis Night Ex..	*9:20 a m	*5:25 p m
Delphos Pass.....	8:30 a m	4:30 p m
COLUMBUS, HOCKING VALLEY and TOLEDO.		
Buckeye Route.		
Columbus Express...	*9:15 a m	*6:30 a m
O. R. Mail and Ex...	2:20 p m	10:35 a m
Columbus Express...	*8:20 p m	*5:20 p m
TOLEDO, COLUMBUS and CINCINNATI.		
Depot, Bridge street, East Toledo.		
Find. and Ken. Ex...	*9:05 a m	7:40 a m
Find. and R. G. Ex..	3:15 p m	10:30 a m
Find and Ken. Ex...	6:35 p m	*4:20 p m
TOLEDO and OHIO CENTRAL.		
Depot, Bridge street, East Toledo.		
Col. and Corning Ex.	3:25 p m	10:15 a m
Bucyrus Express.....	9:00 a m	5:30 p m
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Wheat Quotations for the Day—Price Current for Produce and Other Articles

London wheat market firmer, and three pence per qr. higher; corn steady. Weather colder. Liverpool wheat firm and one penny per 100 pounds higher; corn quiet.

The quantity of flour and wheat on ocean passage decreased last week 3,544,000 bu. being a decrease to the continent of 816,000 bu. Corn increased 80,000 bu.

Our table herein of available wheat and corn shows a decrease of 5,156,504 bu. wheat, and a decrease of 319,572 bu. corn.

California Wheat Stocks.

San Francisco, Dec. 7.—The San Francisco Produce Exchange has prepared its semi-annual statement of the total stocks of wheat and grain in California to December 1. This shows 16,608,350 bu. of wheat, against 20,281,000 bu. on the same date last year. Flour, 140,000 bbls., as against 118,000 bbls. December 1 last year.

British Breadstuffs.

London, Dec. 7.—The Mark Lane Express, in its weekly review of the British grain trade, says: English wheats were in favor of buyers; there was an average decline of 6d foreign supplies were immense and there was the same decline in prices; California was quoted at 45s, and No. 1 American spring at 42s; flat maize has fallen 6d; grinding barley and oats have fallen 1s, and beans and peas 6d.

To-day business was slack. For English wheats there was no demand; foreign suffered a further decline of 6d. Foreign flours were weak; American lost 1s; malting barley declined 1s. Oats was dull. Maize was irregular.

Northwest Wheat Stocks.

Minneapolis, Dec. 7.—The Market Record gives the stock of wheat in private elevators of Minnesota and the two Dakotas at 9,916,500 bu., a gain for the week of 471,900 bu. The aggregate northwestern stock is thus made 21,445,146 bu., an increase of 1,667,428 bu. A year ago the total stock was 20,033,000 bu.

The New York Commercial Bulletin says: There is great fear among sellers here of corn and oats for December delivery to shippers that the scarcity of cars in the west is going to leave them in the gap between the last arrivals by canal and free receipts by rail, for there is no stock in store, and little on the way by railroad, as the cars hitherto available have been taken for wheat, while sales for December, special shipments to exporters, are heavy of both corn and oats.

Our Pork can now Enter France.—Paris, Dec. 5.—The "Journal Official" to-day publishes a decree authorizing the import of American pork into France. The ports of entry, however, are limited, and importations can be made only at Dunkirk, Havre, Bordeaux and Marseilles.

Clover Leaf Earnings.—The following statement shows the earnings of the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City road for the fourth week and month of November:

Week—1891	$ 48,662
Week—1890	43,536
Increase	$ 5,126
Month—1891	180,589
Month—1890	143,393
Increase	$ 36,996

Delegates to the Deep Water Harbor Convention.—The Exchange has appointed a committee to this convention consisting of J. F. Zahm, president; Wm. M. Bellman, and Denison B. Smith.

The receipts of wheat to-day at seven principal western points are 285,756 bu. in excess of the corresponding Tuesday in 1890.

The export clearances yesterday at four Atlantic ports were 686,516 bu. of wheat and flour to an aggregate of 1,075,000 bu. Exports of corn, 201,795 bu. Oats, 85,189 bu.

English markets as reported herein, are stronger and higher on wheat and steady for corn.

The Visible Supply.

The visible supply statement seems to have provoked adverse comments of dealers on one side. Of course the bulls are satisfied, but both sides should be so. It is charged that the grain afloat in Buffalo harbor was not included. We do not know about it, but if not, why not, as the "afloat" grain is given at other points? If that item was not included and the quantity on the rail going east was not included, it would change the decrease to as great an increase.

Ocean Stocks of Grain.

Beerbohm's table herein of the ocean stock, shows the enormous decrease of 3,544,000 bu. in the week. Dealers expected a decrease, but not so great. India shipments were increased last week, and, of course, California, Russia and eastern Europe must be shrinking up in shipments. American exports aggregated 1,000,000 bu. in excess of previous week. The large decrease is somewhat of a surprise.

Call Board, 10 a. m. To-Day.

No. 2 red soft—S. May—Sales 5,000 bu. $1 03; 20,000 bu. $1 03 1-8; 5,000 bu. $1 03 1-4; 5,000 bu. $1 03 1-8.

Rye—S. January—Sales 1,000 bu. 94c.

Corn—S. May—Sales 10,000 bu. 45c.

Clover Seed.—S. January—Sales 50 bags, $5 35.

Prices of wheat do not greatly respond to the expectations of its votaries. We have had firm markets and during the day the average prices have ruled about 1-2c above yesterday's closing. It goes slow always, to make a bull campaign at this season of the year. Wheat is cheap enough and worth for export all that it sells for, but the buyers are deficient in courage to load up until the congested railway position is closed and the movement of grain can be measured and depended on.

There is one feature yet to come upon which dealers are counting as a bull element, and that is the government report of the crop. It is not needed, because we all know the rate of condition will be far below 1890, but dealers want to know exactly how much below.

The wheat markets close 3-8@3-4c higher. Corn has been generally higher and with the exception of May in New York closes 1-4@3-4c better.

Liverpool, Antwerp and other foreign markets are reported as closing higher and strong. Of course this is in consequence of the firmness on this side, as the tail wags the dog, nowadays.

In Toledo there has been a little improvement in business, and the trading in wheat futures was more active. Prices have improved. May at one time was 7-8c advanced, and closed 5-8c higher. On the call May wheat sold at $1.03@1.03 1-4, and closed at $1.03 1-8. After the call, December at 96 1-4c.

May sold at $1 03 1-4@1 03 5-8, and closed at $1 03 3-8; January sold at 98c.

Cash wheat continues in light demand, and the sales were small; No. 2 soft sold at 96 1-4@96 1-2c, a gain of 3-4c; No. 3 soft at 92 1-2c; No. 4 soft at 86 1-2c; rejected No. 1 at 86c.

Corn was more active. On the call January sold at 45c; after the call No. 2 at 48c; No. 3 at 45c; No. 4 at 41 1-2@41 3-4c. Rye—No. 2 at 92c; No. 3 at 89c; rejected at 86c.

Clover seed was very firm, and advanced 5c on futures and No. 2; no sales of prime for cash reported. On the call January sold at $5 35; after the call January at $5 35; February at $5 40; No. 2 at $5 10@5 15.

	Received. Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
New York	347,900	196,850	167,075
Baltimore	78,227	16,716	7,000
Philadelphia	24,021	16,269	16,000
Boston	14,487	70,400	31,503
Toledo	23,480	44,725	2,200
Chicago	149,081	199,732	167,361
Milwaukee	68,200	18,940	34,000
St. Louis	60,000	145,000	25,000
Detroit	23,886	7,256	11,914
Duluth	212,426	.....	.....
Minneapolis	263,340	.....	.....

	Shipped. Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
New York	497,080	133,957	64,157
Baltimore	141,247	44,143	.....
Philadelphia	38,504	7,473	21,032
Boston	9,595	16,222	.....
Toledo	6,500	59,400	3,950
Chicago	100,697	239,232	269,214
Milwaukee	12,650	.....	5,000
St. Louis	70,000	126,000	25,000
Detroit	.....	5,530	.....
Duluth	100,331	.....	.....
Minneapolis	76,560	.....	.....

Markets by Telegraph.

London, Dec. 8.—1:00 p. m.—Wheat cargoes off coast at opening steady; maize nothing offering. Wheat cargoes on passage and for shipment, firmer, held higher; maize quiet and steady. No. 1 California wheat just shipped or promptly to be shipped, 500 lbs California terms, 44s 9d; No. 1 California wheat nearly due, 500 lbs, California terms, 44s 3d. Weather colder.

Liverpool, Dec. 8.—1:00 p. m.—Wheat market firm, demand improving, holders offer moderately. American mixed corn quiet demand poor. No. 2 spring wheat (U. S. seaboard inspection) 8s 6d@8s 6 1-2d. No. 2 red winter wheat (New York standard) 8s 6d@8s 6 1-2d. No. 1 California wheat 8s 10 1-2d@8s 11d. Wheat off coast demand improving; corn demand poor.

New York, Dec. 8.—Money loaned 3@3 1-2 per cent. Exchange steady; posted rates, 482 1-2@485; actual rates, 481 1-4@481 1-2 for 60 days, and 484@484 1-4 for demand.

Governments quiet; currency, 6s, 108 1-2 bid; 4s, coup., 117 1-2 bid; extended 2s, registered, 100 bid.

New York, Dec. 8.—Flour steady but dull, without important change; city mill extra, $3.25 for West Indies; Minnesota extra, $3.65@5.60; fine, $3.00@3.65; superfine, $3.25@3.90. Wheat opened strong and continued firm during the morning. At noon prices were up 3-4c; No. 2 red winter cash, $1.08; December, $1.06 3-4; January, $1.07 5-8; February, $1.08 3-4. Corn opened firm at 1-8c advance, fell 3-8c and then advanced 1-2c. At noon the market was steady; No. 2 mixed cash, 68c; December, 65c; January, 56 1-2c. Oats opened steady but dull, and so continued; No. 2 mixed cash, 42@42 1-2c; December, 42 1-2c. Rye dull; quoted $1.03@1.05, whole range. Barley steady; No. 2 Milwaukee, 73@74c. Molasses slow; Porto Rico, 25@35c. Sugar, refined fairly active and firm; cutloaf and crushed, 5 7-8c; powdered, 4 1-2c; mould A, 4 1-2c. Coffee firm; fair rio cargoes, 16 1-16. Rice nominal. Pork slow; new mess, $9.75@10.75. Lard quiet; January, $6.55; February, $6.55. Butter quiet; western extras, 29@29 1-2c.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Opening: Wheat—December, 92 5-8c; May, 99 3-8c. Corn—December, 47 7-8c; January, 43 3-4c; May, 43 1-2c. Oats—December, 32 1-2c; May, 33 1-8c. Pork—January, $11.30; May, $11.80. Lard—January, $6.22 1-2; May, $6.57 1-2@6.60. Ribs—January, $5.62 1-2; May, $6.00.

Detroit, Dec. 8.—Close: Wheat—No. 2 red cash, 96 3-4c; December, 96 3-4c; May, $1.03 5-8; No. 1 white cash, 95 1-2c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 50 1-2c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 34 3-4c.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Close: Wheat—December, 92 5-8c; May, 99 1-8@99 1-4c. Corn — December, 48 3-4c; January, 44 3-8c; May, 43 3-4c. Oats—December, 32 5-8c; May, 33 3-8c. Pork—December, $8.45; January, $11.17 1-2@11.20; May, $11.67 1-2. Lard—January, $6.17 1-2; May, $6.55. Ribs—January, $5.57 1-2; May, $5.95.

Live Stock.

Buffalo, Dec. 8.—Cattle—Receipts 58 loads through, 225 loads on sale. The demand was slow and draggy for all kinds except good handy butchers' stock and fat heifers at 15@25c decline. Heavy cattle slow. Extra steers at $4.70@4.90 per cwt, choice steers at $4.45@4.65.

Hogs—Receipts 46 loads through, 175 loads on sale. The market was fairly active and steady. Heavy grades corn fed at $3.90@4.00 per cwt, medium weights corn fed at $3.80@3.85, Yorkers, good to best corn fed, at $3.75@3.80.

Sheep—Receipts 12 loads through, 65 loads on sale. The market was 10@15c higher for good wethers and 15@20c stronger for good lambs. Sales of extra fancy sheep at $4.60@5.00 per cwt, good to choice at $4.15@4.50, fair to good at $3.75@4.00, good to choice native lambs at $5.50@5.75, common to fair do at $5.00@5.40, Canadas, common to extra, $5.60@5.85.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts 25,000 head, shipments 5,000 head. The market was irregular. Sales of prime to choice native steers at $4.75@5.75 per cwt, Christmas steers at $6.00@6.75, others at $2.40@2.50, stockers at $2.00@2.70, no Texans or rangers on sale, cows at $1.50@2.50.

Hogs—Receipts 40,000 head, shipments 8,000 head. The market was steady. Sales of rough and common at $3.50@3.65 per cwt, prime packers and good mixed at $3.70@3.80, prime heavy and butchers' weights at $3.85@3.95, light at $3.40@3.65.

Sheep—Receipts 9,000 head, shipments 2,000 head. The market was steady. Sales of native ewes at $2.50@4.50 per cwt, mixed at $4.25@4.50, wethers at $4.75@5.25, yearlings at $5.00@5.50, lambs at $4.00@5.25.

Kansas City, Dec. 8.—The Live Stock Indicator reports: Cattle—Receipts 4,000 head, shipments 3,300 head. The market for natives was 10@15c lower; westerns steady, cows strong. Sales of native steers at $3.50@6.05 per cwt, cows at $3.25@3.85, stockers and feeding steers at $2.50@4.10.

Hogs—Receipts 5,600 head, shipments 300 head. The market was active and 5c higher. Sales of all grades at $3.65@4.50 per cwt, the bulk at $3.55@3.80.

Sheep—Receipts 1,200 head, shipments 200 head. The market was strong.

East Liberty, Dec. 8.—Cattle—Receipts 2,783 head, shipments 819 head. The market opened brisk and closed slow at about last week's prices. Prime to extra steers at $5.00@5.25 per cwt, fair to good at $3.50@4.25, common at $2.25@2.50, good feeders at $3.00@4.40, stockers at $2.50@3.00, bulls, cows and stags at $1.50@2.50, fresh cows at $15.00@45.00. Ten cars of cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hogs—Receipts 10,500 head, shipments 9,850 head. The market was active. Sales of selected Philadelphias at $3.85@3.95 per cwt, good mixed at $3.70@3.80, best Yorkers at $3.60@3.70, common to fair at $3.50@3.60, roughs to $2.75@3.50. Twenty-four cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

Sheep—Receipts 4,300 head, shipments 1,000. The market was steady and unchanged on good; common and medium dull and 25c off from last week's prices. Prime sheep at $4.80@5.10 per cwt, lambs at $3.50@5.50, veal calves at $4.50@6.50.

PRICES CURRENT.

Poultry—Springers, 7c per lb; old, 6c per lb; ducks, spring, 7c per lb; geese, $3 00@4 00.

Quail—$1 25@1 50 doz.

Partridge—75c to $1 00 per pair.

Rabbits—$1 25@1 50 doz.

Provisions—Pork, dull, 50c lower; mess, $12 00 per bbl; short, $12 50; clea. $14 00; short clear, $14 50. Hams, $18 lb and over, 11c; 15 lbs, average, 11 1-2c; 12 lbs and under, 12c. Shoulders, 8c. Breakfast bacon, clear, 10c; rib, 10c. Smoked beef, 10c. Lard—Kettle rendered, 8c; by barrel, 8 1-2c; 50 lb tin kettle lard, 8 1-2c; refined, 6 3-4c; 50 lb tins, 7c. Bacon sides, 8c. Bologna, 6c. Barrel meats dull and a little lower at times. Market was very strong.

Butter—Gathered creams, 25c; fancy, Ohio creamery, 26c; fancy northwestern cream, 27@28c; fancy dairy, 20@21c; prime to choice, 14@16c; medium, 10@12c; common, 7@8c per pound; butter in active demand.

Calves—Choice, 6 1-2c; medium, 6c per pound.

Tallow—City, 4c per lb; country, 4 3-4c.

Wool—Unwashed—Medium clothing, 18@23c per lb; combing and delaine, 24@25c; quarter blood, 23@24c; fine merino, 18@19c; burry and cots, 12@15c. Fleece-washed—Medium clothing, 27@30c; combing and delaine, 30@31c; fine merino, X and XX, 28@29c; burry and cots, 18@20c. Tub-washed—30@35c; pulled, 25@29c.

Grapes—Catawba, 20c; 5-lb baskets.

Peaches—$2 50@3 50.

Oranges—Florida, $2 00@2 50 per box.

Lemons—$3 75@4 75 box.

Pears—Large, 50@75c per bushel.

Peppers—40c per bushel.

Apples—Spy's, $2 25; Baldwins, $2 25; Greenings, $2 00; King Apples, $3 00@3 25; Pippins, $2 25@2 50.

Celery—30c per dozen.

Vegetables—Potatoes, 35c per bu. Sweet potatoes, Delawares, $1 00@1 25 per bbl; Jersey, $3 00@3 25 per bbl; Cabbage, home grown, 35c per bbl. Onions, home grown, 75c per bu. Squash, $1 00 per doz. These are growers' prices botained at the market.

Eggs—Quiet but scarce and firm at 22c per dozen.

Hay—Choice timothy, $12 00@12 50; No. 2 do, $10 00@11 00; mixed, $9 00@10 00. Straw, $6 00@7 00.

Seeds—German millet, $1 15 from store; Hungarian and common millet, 85c@$1 00 from store; flaxseed, $1 15@1 25 per bu on arrival.

Millfeed—Bran, $17 00 in bulk on track; shipstuff, $18 00; middlings, $23 00 and $1 00 more in bags.

Flour—Spring patent, $6 00; spring family, $5 75@6 00; winter patent, $5 50; fancy, $5 50@6 00; winter family, $5 50@6 00; extra, $3 75@4 50; low grade, $4 00; northwestern rye, $5 75@6 00 per bbl.

Salt—85c per Mich bbl; eastern, $1 25 per bbl; Michigan, on track, 75c.

Beans—New York narrows, $2 50@2 60; navy and medium, $1 75@2 00 per bu; western, $2 00@2 25.

Maple Sweets—Syrup, pure, 90c@1 00 per gallon; manufactured, 65@75c; sugar, fairly active for all grades. Molasses firm; centrifugal, 18@25c per gallon; open kettle, 30@45c; syrup, 27@30c. Rice firm; fair to choice Louisiana, 5 1-4@6 1-2c per pound; Japan, 5 1-2@6c. The foregoing are wholesale, not jobbing prices, which are fractionally higher.

Sorghum—Medium to choice, 34@36c per gallon. Market dull.

Dried Fruit—Apples, 4@5c per lb; evaporated, 7@8c; peaches, 7@8. Market dull.

Cheese—New York full cream, 11@12c; Michigan full cream, 10 1-2@11c; Young America, 9@10c; Fancy Schweitzer, 14 1-2@15c; twins, 11 1-2@12c per pound. Stocks are light and the market is firm.

MAJ. OVERMAN ARRESTED

Charged With Misappropriating Public Funds.

A Sensation of Much Interest to Toledoans.

A Thorough Investigation to be Made by the Court Martial and Much of the Major's Career to be Gone Over.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 8.—(Special)—A Washington special to the Plain Dealer brings the startling information that Major Overman, who has been in charge of the harbor improvements in this city for years, has been arrested in Washington and taken to Fort McHenry.

Everybody connected with the war department refuses to say what the charges are, but from what has leaked out it is evident that they are of a financial nature in connection with some of the work done under the major's supervision, and which amounts to no less a charge than misappropriation of public funds.

The rumors that have been current in the Cleveland district for months are of the gravest character. It is charged that discrepancies exist between the bills rendered by dealers for materials and the entries on the books of payments made.

Contractors, it is alleged, have been requested to send checks to Major Overman for services which the contractors have good reasons for believing had been paid by the government.

There are other rumors of misappropriation of government funds to private uses that will probably show in the charges and specifications, and some of these, if gone into in the court martial and substantiated, are likely to be of a still more sensational and painful character.

The court-martial, when ordered, will probably be held in Cleveland, where the offenses were committed and where all the evidence lies. It will be an affair without precedent in the history of the engineer corps.

The honor of the corps is affected by this, the first instance where a charge of absolute dishonesty has been formally brought against a member of the corps.

To keep its honor unsmirched it must made an open and searching investigation into the whole of Major Overman's administration of the Cleveland district. It will be impossible to suppress facts, however damaging, where suspicion, or absolute knowledge, exists among so many reputable men who had "good reasons" for desiring the removal of Major Overman from the Cleveland district.

The officer against whom these charges are made, Major Lewis Cooper Overman, is nearly fifty years of age, having been born in Pennsylvania Dec. 20, 1842. He was appointed cadet at the United States Military academy from that state and graduated June 23, 1865. He was commissioned at once a first lieutenant. Promotion was rapid in those days, and two years later, June 3, 1867, he became a captain. He was promoted to a majority March 26, 1883. Powell's "Records of Living Officers of the Army" gives his services as follows:

"On duty with the engineer battalion at Willet's point, N. Y., and with company B, engineer battalion, Whitestone, N. Y., '67-9; on detached service on staff of commanding general fifth military district, Austin, Tex., '69-71; on duty at Chattanooga and Nashville, Tenn., 71-82; in charge of improvement of various harbors on Lake Erie, of rivers emptying into that lake and of water level observations on Lake Erie, with station at Cleveland, O., since Nov. 1, '82."

GEN. JOHNNY KOUNTZ

Is Caught by the Newspaper Man at Columbus.

This morning's Columbus Journal has the following interview with Gen. John S. Kountz, of this city, which opens up another phase of the senatorial question, and will be interesting to Toledoans:

General John S. Kountz was at the Neil yesterday for a few hours, being in the city on private business. A number of his friends and comrades called on him at his room and gave him quite a little reception. General Kountz is past department commander of Ohio, as well as pas national commander G. A. R. He enlisted in the Thirty-seventh O. V. I. at the age of 15 years and left a leg on the battle-field of Mission Ridge. He is known to the old soldiers as the drummer boy of Mission Ridge and it is safe to say there is no more popular member of the G. A. R. in the state than John Kountz. A State Journal reporter touched him on politics as he was leaving his room for the depot with: "General, are all the old soldiers for Governor Foraker for senator?"

"Well, I must say you are rather abrupt," was the veteran's smiling reply.

"General, I suppose you take an interest in the senatorial question, which is the all-absorbing topic at this time?" suggested the reporter.

"Every citizen must feel some interest in the senatorship, but my visit here has nothing to do with politics. I am in Columbus purely on business and am going home now."

"Have you any objection to giving your views upon the subject?"

"Having never asked a personal favor of either of the candidates, I am under no obligation to espouse the course of either."

"What do you think of Senator Sherman?"

"Senator Sherman is a great statesman, an honor not only to Ohio, but to the nation. In all of his long career as a public official he has not made a political blunder. All the financial measures he has formulated and advocated have received the sanction not only of his own party, but they have been approved by the wise men of all parties. In intellect, real ability, clearness of judgment and long experience, he is without a peer in the United States senate. Not to return him, Ohio would do herself and the nation great injustice. Personally I feel most kindly toward Gov. Foraker, but I consider his candidacy for senator at this time to succeed Sherman both ill-timed and unwise."

"General, it is claimed by Mr. Foraker's friends that the old soldiers largely favor his election; how is that?"

"I have made no special canvass among the ex-soldiers with a view to ascertaining their preference in the matter, but so far as my knowledge goes I do not think there is any warrant for such a claim. Governor Foraker was a good soldier, but I am certain that all the old soldiers recognize the valuable services rendered by John Sherman to the country during the war. Since the war he has always been a steadfast friend to the soldier and an earnest advocate of all means for their relief. I served for five years as a member of the national pension committee of the Grand Army and in this connection visited Washington at least twice during each session of congress to urge legislation in behalf of soldiers, their widows and orphans. From no member of either the senate or house of representatives did I receive more courteous and considerate treatment than from Senator Sherman, with whom I frequently advised and who always gave his voice and vote for liberal pensions."

"In the matter of appointments to office, how has Mr. Sherman recognized the old soldier?"

"In his recommendations for appointment to office so far as my knowledge extends the old soldier has received fair consideration at his hands."

"How was it with Gov. Foraker?"

"If my recollection serves me right Gov. Foraker gave the old soldiers very little recognition in the way of appointment to office while he was chief executive of the state. The only prominent office he gave to a soldier was that of adjutant general and he would hardly give this to a person without military knowledge or experience. All the other principal appointees were civilians, and most if not all were persons who were old enough to have shouldered a musket from 1861 to 1865."

"It has been claimed that Flickinger, Heller and Griffin, of your county, are for Foraker. Is that true?"

"Both Mr. Flickinger and Mr. Heller have announced themselves for Sherman; they are honorable men, and they no doubt mean just what the say. While Mr. Griffin is counted for Foraker, he has repeatedly said in public that he was not committed."

Gen. Kountz made his train all right.

A DEATH BED WEDDING.

A Sad Scene in the Gibson House in Findlay.

Findlay, O., Dec. 8.—(Special)—A young oil man by the name of C. O. Crawford and Miss Frances Rugg, of Gowanda, N. Y., were married at the Gibson house in this city on Satuday evening, and the young groom lingered until Sunday evening when he quietly passed away.

The young couple were lovers in their eastern home and soon expected to be married, when young Crawford was taken down seriously ill.

It was the earnest wish of both to be married before the final ending of his young life. Rev. N. B. C. Love officiated. The groom was not able to sit up in bed, but quietly lay there holding the hand of his affianced while the ceremony was performed.

The remains were sent east yesterday to his former home for burial accompanied by his bride of a day.

AMONG THE PEOPLE.

Jottings of Personal Mention About the City,

Gleaned by Members of the Bee Staff—Socials and Small Parties at Different Homes.

H. P. Gurney is out of the city.

Mr. John Wheeler is in Cincinnati.

Mr. Henry Rouse is on the sick list.

Mr. John Irving has been on the sick list.

A. B. Stone, of Philadelphia, is in the city.

Mrs. H. Yaryan entertains to-morrow afternoon.

Gen. J. S. Kountz was in Columbus Yesterday.

The Girls' Friendly meets to-night at Trinity parlors.

Mrs. Laurence Newman gives a card party this evening.

Mr. J. M. Miller, of Pittsburg, is visiting Toledo friends.

Mrs. Mueller, of Detroit, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. C. F. Roulet.

Mrs. Van Brockenberg, of Tontogany, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Walter Hickernell will return to Erie, P., the last of the week.

Mrs. Kellog, of Findlay, is the guest of Mrs. Todd, of 907 Huron street.

Mrs. O. S. Brumbach and daughters, are home from a visit at Van Wert.

Miss Ida Reiser, of Toledo, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. W. Hale, at Fostoria.

Miss Edith Williston's many friends will regret to learn that she is seriously ill.

Mrs. Burchard A. Hayes will give a reception on Tuesday, December 15, from 4 to 6.

Miss Nelson, of Colorado, and Miss Cora Nelson will be Mrs. Pettit's guests during the holidays.

Miss O'Connel, of Sandusky, who has been Mrs. Ellen Casey's guest, returned to her home to-day.

Mrs. N. B. Eddy gave an enjoyable card party at her home on W. Woodruff avenue last evening.

The Young People's Pleasure club of the Fifth ward will give a dancing party December 16 at Emery hall.

Mr. Thos. H. McGirr, of Bedford, Pa., is spending a few days in the city, the guest of Miss Roberta Doyle.

Mr. T. C. Willoughby, of McComb, and Mr. Chas. Willoughby, of Van Buren, were Mrs. Fred Kountz's guest last week.

The young people of the Third Presbyterian church will give a cantata, entitled "Under the Palms," next Friday evening.

Mrs. Geo. Schaffer, of Washington street, entertained a few friends in honor of her sister, Mrs. M. J. Beach, of Logansport, Ind.

Mr. A. M. F. Billingslea, who has been very ill, is getting along nicely now, and will soon be able to sit up. His physician, Dr. C. N. Smith, says he will surely recover.

AdamGrauff, chief engineer at the water works pumping station, who has been seriously ill since last June, is now improving rapidly and able to be about the house.

The Ladies' Missionary society of Auburndale will give their quarterly missionary tea Wednesday evening at Dr. Cosgrove's, on Monroe street, from 5 until 8 o'clock.

Col. S. A. Court went to Cleveland this afternoon to attend the reception given by the Cleveland knights to supreme and grand lodge officers of the Knights of Pythias to-night at Red Cross rink.

Mrs. P. J. Hines and Mrs. Junius Dane, Prof. Dane's wife, of Warren, O., left last night for Old Mexico, where they will spend the winter. Their many friends wish them a pleasant trip.

The following names were found on the Boody house register: W. J. McCulloch, New York; T. C. Kerrick, Bloomington, Ill.; M. M. Ferris, St. Louis, and G. Taft and wife of Findlay.

On Saturday about 50 of the friends and neighbors of Mr. Thomas A. Waltermire assembled at his home in Jackson township, completely surprising the gentleman. The occasion was the fifty-second birthday anniversary of Mr. Waltermire. The day was spent in having a good time socially, after which an excellent dinner was served. A large number of presents were bestowed.

A high tea was given by the Misses Bertha and Alice Baker for Miss Knickerbocker last evening from 5 until 8 o'clock. About twenty-five of their friends were present at this delightful affair. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with chrysanthemums and carnations. Fourteen couples were invited to remain during the evening and enjoy an informal dance.

A regular old-fashioned handshaking social is to be given at St. John's M. E. church to-night. A committee will meet, at the door, all who come, and start them in the right way by giving them a hearty welcome. There is a good deal of religion in social friendship, and it is suggested to the Christian people of Toledo that they practice more of it. St. John's church makes the invitation general.

Miss Hattie Finch and Mrs. R. G. Sampson, jr., planned a birthday surprise party for Mr. Sampson, jr., last evening at their home on Milburn avenue. Mr. Sampson recovered from the surprise in time to join in progressive pedro, which was indulged in until a late hour, after which an elegant supper was served. The young people who enjoyed this evening of pleasure were the Misses Hattie Gasser, Emily Hughes, Minnie Hales, Hattie Finch, Maggie Freise, Myrtle Potter, Caddie Barks, Nellie Wilson, De Rutte and Messrs. Sam Heller, Will Crooks, John Snyder, Frank Butts, Percy Oblinger, Ward, Frank Hass, J. T. Kellogg, Chas. Burge and Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Munson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Detwiler and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hudson. Mr. Sampson was the recipient of a number of nice presents.

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A FAMILY OF FIGHTERS.

Riley Webb Tries to Shoot His Father.

A Brother of Riley Caught in the Act of Trying to Cut a Neighbor With a Razor.

Xenia, O., Dec. 8.—Riley Webb, of near Jamestown, got on a drunk Saturday night and went home and tried to kill his father, Wm. Webb, and the rest of the family.

He fired a double-barreled shotgun through a door which his father was holding against him, and narrowly missed killing the father.

Mr. Webb then opened the door and subdued his son by attacking and giving him a terrible beating, being considerably bruised and beaten himself in the melee.

The son was found the next morning in the barn in an unconscious condition, and th doctor thinks him in a critical condition from many bruises and cuts.

On the same afternoon Archie Webb, another son, was in Bowersville drunk, and tried to kill Granville Fannon with a razor. He was slipping up behind Fannon with the razor, when some one gave the alarm, and Fannon turned on his assailant in time to ward off the deadly blow and disarm his antagonist.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Repairs are being made to the water works' intaking crib.

Bryant C. L. S. C. to-night, with an interesting program.

Sanford L. Collins lodge of Masons will elect officers at the temple this evening.

Detectives Brown and Carew go to Port Clinton to-morrow to testify in a burglary case.

The high school seniors have reconsidered their award for a class badge, and will consider other designs.

The charges in police court against E. L. Lockwood, for selling unwholesome meat, have been withdrawn and the costs paid.

The grading for the new water works pumping station has been completed and the building contractor will at once go to work.

Building permits have been issued to Mrs. T. F. Whittlesey for a $4,000 frame dwelling on Glenwood avenue, and to Henry Bobst for a $2,000 frame dwelling on Maplewood avenue.

In police court this morning the case against Claude Gregory for cutting with intent to wound was continued to Thursday. Gregory is one of the boys who was too free with a razor a few weeks ago. His pal, young Faber, has not yet been captured.

LATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE—THREE THOROUGHBRED English Pug puppies; $5 a piece, at 734 Tecumseh street. 8dec3p

FOR RENT—NEWLY BUILT MODERN house of eight rooms; nicely located; near "Belt Line," or 15 minutes walk from Summit street; rent reasonable. Call at corner Franklin avenue and Page street, or address Box 344. 8dec3

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Past National President of the Woman's Relief Corps, states:

"Having contracted a severe bronchial trouble while in the White Mountains, I have since been subject to frequent attacks. I can truly say that I have experienced more prompt, pleasant and enduring relief from the use of PAY'S BRONCHIAL CURE than any other, and most cordially recommend it to all suffering from similar affection."

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No. 7 all steel express wagon	2 50

Good Willow Reed Doll Cabs, 50c, 75c, 89c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 $2.50.

Toy trunks at 43c, sold at $1.00 elsewhere.

Big assortment of $1.00 games at 75c.

Blacking Cases, $1.00.

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WANTED—BOY—GOOD, HONEST, INdustrious boy, to take care of horse; German preferred. Apply at 1045 Grand ave. 24

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WANTED—FOR THE UNITED STATES army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 35 years; good pay, rations, clothing and medical attendance; applicants must be prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence as to age, character and habits. Apply at 4th floor, Bass Block, Calhoun st., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 3july6m

YOUNG MAN TO MANAGE OFFICE IN Saginaw. Salary $75 per month; must furnish best references and $350 cash capital. Address Room 3, 4th floor, 271 Woodward ave., Detroit. 5dec6

WANTED—ACTIVE MEN TO SELL the life of Charles Stewart Parnell; easy to sell on account of the eminence of the subject, the beauty of the work and the cheapness of the price; liberal commission. Address E. 74, Bee office. 26

SOLICITORS WANTED TO HANDLE our new goods; big money for the right parties. Apply 41 1-2 Law Building. 30

WANTED—GERMAN BOY 14 OR 15 years old, to learn type setting. Toledo Volksfreund, 406 Adams street. 23

COATMAKERS WANTED—NONE BUT first-class workmen need apply. Call at A. Machen & Co.'s, 319 Superior street.

WANTED—MAN ACQUAINTED WITH the retail trade of Toledo and vicinity. Call at Room 19, Bee Building. 26

WANTED—A FEW GOOD MEN IN TOledo to help advertise Rival Erasive Soap. None but those that are acquainted and respectable needed. Address Rival Erasive Soap Co., 504 Superior st., Toledo. 29

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; must be a good cook, washer and ironer; wages $3.50 per week; German preferred. Apply 2065 Ashland ave., corner Floyd street. 24

WANTED—A GOOD, COMPETENT GIRL for general housework; good wages. Call 453 Missouri street. 23

WANTED—A GOOD, COMPETENT GIRL for general housework at 1238 Dorr street, German preferred. 23

WANTED—GIRL TO COOK, WASH AND Iron. Call forenoon at 1213 Superior st. 24

WANTED—GIRL AT BURNETT HOUSE. 24

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS FEMALE cook at New Grove House, Columbus Grove, Ohio. 24

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL TO COOK, wash and iron. Call at 228 17th street; call mornings. 24

WANTED—GOOD COMPETENT KITCHen girl; good wages. Apply at once, 2nd door after 16th street on Jefferson. 23

WANTED—GIRL ABOUT 16 YEARS, TO do light housework and take care of children. Call at 526 Vance st. 27

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Call at 721 Collingwood ave. 27

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY — A GIRL for general housework in family of four; good wages to good girl; at 611 Madison st.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, family of three. Apply to Mrs. E. J. Stock, 2050 Collingwood ave. 26

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS DINING-room girl and lady dish-washer, for hotel in North Baltimore. Address T. H. Carter. 27

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR general housework at 1418 Cherry street. C. F. Roulet. 29

WANTED — LADY PARTNER TO travel with man in theater. Address E 71, Bee office. 29

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN cook; good wages; 352 Ontario street. 29

WANT A GOOD COMPETENT GIRL TO do general housework in family of two, out of city. Apply at once at Mrs. E. Reed's, 2872 Cherry street. 30

HOUSEWORK — WANTED, EXPERIenced German girl for general housework; no children. Mrs. King, 234 Tenth st. 30

HOUSEWORK—WANTED, GIRL FOR general housework. Apply to 641 West Woodruff ave. 30

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FOR RENT—7-ROOM HOUSE AT 813 Dorr street, newly papered and painted; natural and artificial gas, well and cistern water, also barn; neighborhood first-class. Call at 725 East Bancroft st. 4dec6p

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MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—ON IMPROVED city real estate; and on short time on approved chattels, without moving. J. P. Delphey & Co., Real Estate, 7 Adams Block, cor. St. Clair and Adams sts. 12novlm

MONEY TO LOAN—IF YOU WANT $25 to $500 on chattel mortgage, I will negotiate such loans on fair terms. M. O. Waggoner, office and residence, 613 Madison street. 24oct1yr

MONEY—TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE in large or small amounts at low rate of interest. T. S. Merrell, 512 Madison street. 17augly

MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD goods, pianos, horses, wagons, etc., without removal; partial payments received reducing cost pro rata; all business strictly confidential. Croft, Room 14, Worthington Block, Adams and Superior streets. 10may tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—STOCK OF GROCERIES, grocers' fixtures, butchers' tools, ice box, meat block, two horses and delivery wagon; will be sold cheap to suit purchasers. Call at once grocery store corner Adams and Huron streets. 8dec6p

FOR SALE — MILK ROUTE, TEAM, wagon and cans, with agreement to furnish the milk. Address E. 82, Bee office. 8dec6p

FOR SALE—160 ACRES OF LAND IN Lucas county for $1,700; $700 down and long time for balance. Inquire 21 Drummond Block. 8dec6p

A BICYCLE FOR SALE—1891 LOZIER & Yost, in first-class condition, at 310 Superior street. p

FOR SALE—WATCH — FIRST CLASS Waltham watch, open face, good as new; taken on account; cost $40.00; can be bought for $18. Call Dr. Howe, 333 Superior st. 7dec2p

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE—2040 FRANKlin avenue; lot 75 feet front; house contains modern improvements, and is, without doubt, one of the most desirable locations in the city. Will be sold at reasonable price and terms to desirable purchaser. Apply to W. C. Crabbs, Boody House block. 4dec-tf

WANTED—THE PEOPLE TO KNOW that they can always get fresh fish and all kinds of sea food at 622 Monroe street, near Erie; everything first-class. J. A. Nadeau & Co. 28novlm

FOR SALE—GENUINE SINGER SEWing Machine at a bargain; cost $55; will sell for $20 cash; is good as new; owner no use for it. Address E 73, Bee office. 3dec3p

FOR SALE—GOOD LOT ON CHERRY street, near Sherman street, well located, 41x130. Will sell at reasonable figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON BARTLETT STREET, near Wells street, frontage to suit, lots 127 feet deep. Special inducements to parties desiring to build. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—STRICTLY FIRST CLASS property on Superior st., between Madison and Jefferson street; very desirable for improvement or investment; get our figures. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT ON LINCOLN AVE., near Shaw ave., 35x120; good location; street cars convenient; prices reasonable. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ERIE ST., NORTH TOledo, two lots at a bargain, each 25 feet front. For prices and particulars see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR SALE—Blacksmith's tools and small stock iron; good location for right man; no competition. Address E. C. Thrall, Hector, O. 5dec6

FOR SALE—LOT IN CHERRY PLACE on Kent street, near Page street; good location; will sell at very reasonable price. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON COLLINGWOOD AVE., near Cherry street, choice residence property 240 feet deep; surroundings first class; get our figures on these lots. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—A FEW VERY DESIRABLE residence lots still left in Webster Place. If you want to buy cheap, now is the time to buy this property. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS PROPERTY for factory purposes on Wabash ave., near Thirteenth street; will sell at prices that are right. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT 40x200 ON VANCE ST., near Detroit ave.; good property for investment; get our price and let us show you the lot. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ONTARIO STREET, BEtween Mulberry and Magnolia streets; good location, at low figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Forrer street, near Collingwood ave.; street cars convenient; lots all of good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—GOOD PROPERTY FOR factory or cheap residence purposes, on Smith street; lots 118 feet deep, frontage to suit. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Germania street, Indiana avenue and Missouri street, near Ewing street, lots at a low figure; if you want desirable 8th ward property see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—COLLINGWOOD AVENUE, near Washington street; good neighborhood; street cars convenient; will sell frontage to suit, or build for parties desiring. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON MICHIGAN ST., NORTH Toledo, corner lot, well located, and at proper price, lot 40 feet front and good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

RESTAURANT AND SAMPLE ROOM for sale cheap, if sold immediately, at 912 Adams street. Inquire at premises. 27nov-tf

FOR SALE—ONE BAY MARE, CHEAP, at 439 Segur ave. Call soon. 25nov-tf

PROPERTY FOR SALE—HOUSE AND lot on Walbridge ave., $3,500; house and lot on Washington st., $2,500; 73 feet on Collingwood, near Delaware ave., at $40; 100 feet on Robinwood, near Bancroft, at $30; house and lot on Lee st., 9th ward, $1,400; 3 new cottages now being built on East Broadway, for $1,000 each; small down payments, balance monthly. Irving and Russell, 16 Produce Exchange. 25aug-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—MEAT MARKET with all conveniences; 1417 Cherry st., Toledo, Ohio. 7novlm-p

THEATER FOR SALE — PROPERTY known as the Standard theater, is for sale, rent or long lease; can be used for theatrical or manufacturing purposes; owner wishes to retire from business on account of sickness. I mean business. Enquire at the theater, Toledo, O. 4nov-tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—SITUATION AS CLERK IN store by girl 17 years old. Address 642 Prouty ave. 24

WANTED—SITUATION BY A QUALIfied, practical boiler man and engineer; over 13 years practical experience with stationary steam boilers and engines; married; resident of city; references given. Call or address Jack, 116 Tecumseh street. 24

WANTED—WORK—BY A UNION CARpenter; good on soft or hard wood finishing or any outside work. Call or send word to 621 Lafayette st, city, near Erie. 27

WANTED—POSITION AS DRUG CLERK. Have had 12 years experience; best of reference as to ability; strictly sober. Address Bromide, 219 West street, Findlay, Ohio. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man of 20; one who is willing to work and can come well recommended. Address Jas. Hanks, 4 Unity Block. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A BOY TO work in restaurant. Address Room 8, Unity Block.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man 19 years of age, in a store or office; speaks three languages, and is a fair penman. Address E. 79, care of Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A BOY 17 years old to tend to horse and act as coachman in some private family. Address 607 St. Clair st. 28

WANTED—WASHING TO DO AT HOME by lady in the Ninth ward. Address J. J., E 76, care Bee. 27

WANTED—WORK BY YOUNG MAN OF any kind to do; inside work preferred. Address E 75, Bee office. 27

WANTED—DRESSMAKING IN FAMIlies by a competent dressmaker. Address M. M. Markahar, Postoffice. 27

COOK—WANTED SITUATION BY MIDdle-aged lady as cook in hotel or restaurant; no objection to going out of the city. Address E 78, Bee office. 27

WANTED—WASHING AND IRONING to do; call at 1012 Broadway. 28

WANTED — SITUATION IN RETAIL grocery or driving delivery wagon. Address E 72, Bee office. 29

WANTED — SITUATION AS HOTEL clerk by an experienced man, or care of billiard room or bar. Address C. H. Comstock, Box 493, Hudson, Mich. 30

HOSTLER—WANTED, A SITUATION AS hostler in livery or private family; can give good reference, by a middle-aged colored man. Address E. 68, Bee office. 31

WANTED—A SITUATION AS BOOKkeeper; can show the best of references. Address Penn. Depot, care of A. Boulun.

WANT TO HEAR OF PARTIES WISHing to employ a collector or delivery man; 10 years experience. Address E. 52, Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS DELIVery clerk or any work around store; has had 10 years' experience. Address E 52, Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATION AS PHARMAcist; registered; single man; six years experience. Address E. 81, Bee office, Toledo, Ohio. 24

WANTED—POSITION AS PRESSMAN—A 1 on book and job work; have had several years' experience in eastern cities; recommendations first class. Address W. B., 133 State street, Elkhart, Ind. 29

WANTED—BY YOUNG MARRIED MAN, position in warehouse or store; would canvass for any thing good. Address H. R., 332 Colburn st. 30

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man willing to do any kind of work; used to horses. Address E. 70, Bee office. 30

COOK—WANTED, SITUATION BY SOBER white man. Address Cook, 311 Huron st. 30

MISCELLANEOUS.

TO EXCHANGE—PARTIES HAVING horse, buggy, safety bicycle, watch or anything of value to dispose of can make profitable exchange and have employment if desired by calling Room 22, Hanner House. 8dec6p

HOTEL WANTED—LEASE AND FURNIture of hotel in thriving country town. Address with full particulars, H., Toledo Bee. 7dec6p

FOR EXCHANGE—SAFETY BICYCLE for a good watch; splendid chance for a good bargain. Address E. 80, Bee office. 5dec6p

FIRE, ACCIDENT AND PLATE GLASS Insurance and real estate. Phone 1288, C. C. & H. H. ("Bert") Dawson, 2 New Bee Building, first floor. 3dec-tf

WANT TO BUY A PLATFORM SPRING wagon-gear; carry 1,500 to 2,000; address Wm. Heagh, 905 Washington st. Phone 1017. 4dec6

CIVIL ENGINEERING—IF YOU ARE wanting any civil engineering or architectural work done, any mechanical map, patent office or other draughting executed, or have any blue prints to be made, consult J. N. Huston, civil engineer and architect, Worthington Block. 5dec6p

"PRINCE OF COLLINGWOOD," REGIStered Holstein Prussian Bull has been removed to the Whitney farm on Monroe st., 1-4 mile beyond Wagon Works. 5dec6p

DON'T FAIL TO SEE THOSE FINE cabinets at Dubbs & Co.'s for $2.00 per dozen. 24nov-tf

WANTED — EVERYBODY TO KNOW that the best cabinet photographs for the least money are made at Alley Gallery, 343 Summit. Good cabinets for $2 per dozen. 21novlm

SPECIAL DEDUCTION FOR CHILdren's pictures at Dubbs & Co.'s, 331 Broadway. 24nov-tf

FINE CABINETS AT DUBBS & CO.'S for $2.00 per dozen; 331 Broadway. 24nov-tf

CISTERNS OF ALL SIZES IN STOCK OR made to order; delivered in any part of city; will set in position if desired. Phone 821. The Merrell Manufacturing Co., Curtis st. 2maylyr

FIRE! FIRE! START YOUR FIRE WITH the McDonald Fire Kindler, the best one in the market; agents wanted. Call at 1131 Erie street. 31octlm

EAST TOLEDO TO THE FRONT! SEE her grow! Patronize Thompson's E. Z. Payment Furniture store, 109 Bridge street, and promote the business interests of your own ward. 27oct-to-jan-1

WANTED—CITIZENS OF TOLEDO TO know that Koella the artist has moved from Fourth ward to Hassenzahl's Block, 324 Cherry street. Call if you want fine photography. 29sep3m

ANY ONE HAVING MONEY TO LOAN on improved city or farm property at good rates will find it to their interest to call on T. S. Merrell, 512 Madison st. No charge for investment. 17augly

DO YOU WANT A PENSION? IF YOU do, and have doubts as to your claim, consult J. H. Spain, corner Monroe and Market Space. Advice given free. 7aprlyr

WANTED—THE PEOPLE TO KNOW that they can get anything they want in the line of stationary, art goods, cigars and tobacco, at Geo. T. Frey's, 611 Cherry street. 31janlyr

GEORGE W. MERRILL, JUSTICE OF the Peace and Notary Public; deeds, leases, mortgages and all legal papers executed; special attention paid to collection of commercial paper. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Room 26 Law Building, corner Superior and Madison streets. jan12tf

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL — YOUR FUTURE REvealed. Written prediction of your life, 10c. Give date of birth. Astrologer, L. Box 326, Kansas City, Mo. 13nov7w

PERSONAL—SEND 10c FOR BIG PACKage of cabinet size pictures, also full descriptions (including residences) of respectable ladies who want to correspond for matrimony; 5,000 lady members; every age and nationality; living everywhere; many of them beautiful and wealthy. Heart and Hand Agency, Drawer 697, Chicago, Ill. 13nov5w

WANTED—AGENTS.

WE OFFER AGENTS BIG MONEY, IN exclusive territory. Our new patent safes, sell at sight in city or country. New agents first in field actually getting rich. One agent in one day cleared $86. So can you. Catalogue free. Alpine Safe Co., No. 363-371, Clark St., Cincinnati, O. sats3m

WANTED—AGENTS, TO DRUM THE trade on commission. Easy-selling specialty. Address, with references, Rosewater Bros., Cleveland, O. 7dec2

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—AN OBLONG BROOCH SET WITH one amethyst and rubies; lost between People's theater and State street, Saturday evening. Finder please return to 210 Summit street and receive reward. 8dec3

LOST—A MOROCCO BOUND CANVASSing book containing list of names; a liberal reward for its return to 220 Huron street. 7dec3

LOST—GOLD RING, SET WITH THREE diamonds and two emeralds, on Friday evening; reward by returning to 239 Summit st. 4dec6p

DIED.

LAKE—William H. Lake, on Dec. 7th, in the 74th year of his age.

Funeral services at the residence of his son-in-law, C. N. Marcellus, 2220 Maplewood ave., on Wednesday afternoon.

Albany and Schenectedy, N. Y., papers please copy.

CITY NEWS.

Workhouse board meets on Thursday afternoon.

Sir Edwin Arnold lectured last night at Cincinnati.

Officers will be elected at the Y. M. C. B. A. to-night.

A dolls' bazaar is one of the attractions at Trinity church this week.

Anniversary of the junior Bible class at West Toledo to-morrow night.

The Ohio Sabbath Association is called to meet at Zanesville, December 14.

Law enforcement league at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the Davis Business college.

Toledo Council, R. and S. M., will select officers at the stated assembly on Thursday night.

Ask for Seyfang's "New Process" bread.

Hon. J. W. Winn, of Defiance, will dedicate the hall of Montpelier lodge, K. P., on Thursday night.

The small boy has had his skates out and using them on the sidewalks where Old Sol has not melted the snow.

Collars 2 cents, cuffs 4 cents, shirts 10 cents. Toledo Laundry Co. Phone 438.

The case of the State against James Stump, charged with horse stealing, was taken up in Judge Harmon's court this morning.

Miss Carrie Berry Phelps will form a class in elocution and physical culture at Bowling Green this afternoon, and lecture in the Baptist church to-night.

A number of young ladies in the senior class at the High school are engaged in forming a Shakesperian club, and will study after the holidays at a time to be agreed on.

The Crescent Livery Co. Phone 899.

Angostura Bitters are used by mothers to stop colic and looseness of the bowels in children. Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons, manufacturers. Ask your druggist.

The John Crowley connected with the McDonald stabbing affray is not the John Crowley, inspector for the city natural gas department. The inspector is not that kind of a young man.

Opera glasses at Chas. B. Bargman's.

Beatty lodge of K. P.'s at Air Line Junction give a masquerade party on Wednesday evening, December 23, in their hall. The party is given to replenish the funds, which have been drawn upon heavily, on account of sickness.

Gold glasses at Chas. B. Bargman's.

The Catholic churches of the city are to-day observing the holiday of the Immaculate Conception. Services were held in all the churches this morning, and further services will be held this evening.

Use Buckeye paints and varnishes.

An old-fashioned social is to be held at St. John's M. E. church to-night. The reception committee has been chosen because of the peculiar appropriateness, and a promise is to the effect that the members will be early on hand and not leave while a guest remains.

Leading dealers sell Buckeye paints.

The Bowling Green M. E. church is way up in Home Missionary work. It stands third in this district, which includes Toledo and a number of other large charges. There has been over $200 contributed to the cause by this charge within the past year, $40 alone being gathered in by mite boxes.—Bowling Green Sentinel.

Ask for Buckeye paints and varnishes.

Toledo lodge, K. P., elected officers last night as follows: P. C., David Marker; V. C., Frank Stone; prelate, S. Emery; M. of F., C. O. Downs; M. of E., J. W. Dachstiner; K. of R. and S., A. J. Marker; M. at A., W. H. Booth; trustees, S. Emery, Wm. Beatty, Herman Baumbach; building board, S. Emery; relief committee, J. D. Batch.

Meet your friends at the depot with a carriage or coupe from the Crescent Livery Co. Phone 899.

Mr. Marion Lawrance, a prominent insurance man of Toledo, is at the Emery. Mr. Lawrance is secretary of the Ohio State Sunday school association and is here looking after the big Sunday school conference to be held next Thursday and Friday at the First Presbyterian church on Fourth street, near Walnut. The greatest Sunday school talent of America will be here to take part. It will be immense.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Order ice cream and fancy candies from L. H. Meinert, corner Summit and Oak streets.

A corporation has just been reported to the secretary of state of the national association of letter-carriers of the United States of America, the object being to unite all United States letter carriers for mutual benefit, to improve their social, educational and financial condition, to elevate their character as United States employes, to aid each other in case of sickness, death or misfortunes of other kind. The association incorporating is organized as ruling over subordinate chapters.

PREVENTION IS BETTER

Than cure, and those who are subject to rheumatism can prevent attacks by keeping the blood pure and free from the acid which causes the disease. For this purpose Hood's Sarsaparilla is used by thousands with great success. It is the best blood purifier.

Constipation is caused by loss of the peristaltic action of the bowels. Hood's Pills restore this action and invigorate the liver.

Towels for Xmas.
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Linens for Xmas.
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HOLIDAY RATES.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In order to give their patrons a chance to properly celebrate the holidays, the Wheeling & Lake Erie railway will sell excursion tickets between all stations on their line, at low excursion rates for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on December 24, 25 and 31, and January 1, 1892, and will be good for return passage up to and including January 4, 1892. Children between the ages of 5 and 12 years, half excursion rate.

For any further information regarding rates on the W. & L. E. railway, or any of its connecting lines, apply to the nearest agent of the W. & L. E. railway, or to
JAS. M. HALL,
General Passenger Agent.

You can get Gloves anywhere, but the genuine Xavier Jouvin only of us.
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A small amount of money will buy a handsome slipper at
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ELEGANT AND DESIRABLE
Holiday gifts suitable for young and old. Make no mistake. Do not lay out a dollar in presents until you have seen our splendid stock. A choice and well-selected line of new attractions in Christmas goods for the many. Everybody delighted. You try us.
GEO. KAPP, Reliable Jeweler,
415 Summit street.

Boys' dancing shoes in patent leather and kid. Boys' slippers in leather and embroidered. J. C. PROSSER & CO.

The best assortment of Handkerchiefs.
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CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS.

The Wabash Railroad company has commenced the sale of low rate single and round trip tourist tickets to all principal Pacific coast points and the City of Mexico, giving over 200 different combinations of routes going and returning.

The Wabash is the only line east of Chicago that has a complete line of tourist tickets, obviating the annoyance to passengers of exchanging their tickets at some point en route. Palace reclining chair cars (seats free), elegant sleepers and famous Wabash dining cars on all trains. Through Pullman buffet sleeping cars and palace reclining chair cars (seats free) Toledo to Kansas City without change. Only one change of cars to any Pacific coast or intermediate point. For lowest rates, maps, folders, etc., call on or write Boody House Ticket office, or P. E. Dornbaugh, passenger and ticket agent Wabash railroad, 308 Madison street, Toledo, O.

See what 75c and $1 will buy in men's slippers at J. C. PROSSER & CO'S.

Tortoise Shell Pins.
LASALLE & KOCH.

The intense heat of the electric arc has been tried in Sweden for blasting. A deep hole is drilled in the rock and a Jablochkoff candle is inserted and the current turned on. The intense heat causes the rock to swell at that point, and internal strains crack the whole rock. Holes are best drilled into the solid parts, not, as in blasting, in the seams and soft places.

The remarkable growth which, till within two years, was brought about principally by one person telling another, is a monument to Garfield Tea's merits.

CALL AND SEE | The Sterling Piano. It has a smooth, solid, even tone, delicate touch, and is all that could be desired by the most exact.

HAND KER CHIEFS | A most bewildering display of linen and silk handkerchiefs and mufflers. Connolly Bros.

In the will of the late King of Wurtemberg some curious legacies were left. The bootblack outside the palace gates is to wear patent leather shoes for the rest of his life, be dressed in blue tweed homespun and receive a pension of 1,000 marks a year. An old apple woman who sweeps a crossing around the corner gets a pleasant position in the palace, a black silk gown and a small pension.

For coughs and throat disorders use Brown's Bronchial Troches. "Have never changed my mind respecting them, except I think better of that which I began by thinking well of."—Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. Sold only in boxes.

LUCAS LODGE'S TEAM.

Some Excellent Work Being Done by This Company of Hustlers.

At the session of Toledo lodge, K. P., last evening, the team of Lucas lodge, No. 148, conferred the amplified third rank on two candidates before a full house at the Pythian castle in a manner which reflected no little credit on every member of the team. It is not a small task to gather together 25 men and rehearse and perfect each one in their position, but this has been accomplished by Lucas lodge since last June, and the boys have already gained the reputation of doing the best work, not only in Toledo, but will rank favorably with the best in the state. Paraphernalia is being added to, new costumes are to be secured, and with the other accessories soon to be procured, there will not be any necessity for Toledo knights to visit Dayton or Cleveland to witness good work; it can be seen in their midst.

The team as arranged at present is as follows:

King—Elmer E. Dale.
First councillor, H. Lansen; second, L. E. Drake; third, G. F. Miller; fourth, Joseph Reppe; fifth, George Beinke; sixth, A. L. Brower; seventh, H. E. Brown; eighth, H. Bentson; ninth, Milo Warn.
Chancellor commander—G. D. O'Neill.
Vice chancellor—Wm. Soderman.
Prelate—G. C. Weir.
Master-at-arms—G. D. Dale.
Warder—W. F. Vanderburg.
P.—A. L. Brower.
King's guards—Silas Ames, Henry Rakes.
Stage manager—C. S. Jones; assistants, J. D. Stalker, Dave Martin.
Organist—Dan Wentz.

While all the members did well last evening, the work of Elmer Dale, Mr. O'Neill, Mr. Weir, Mr. Brower, G. D. Dale and Mr. Vandenburg is deserving of especial mention. They were almost perfect in every detail.

As a result of Lucas lodge's visit to No. 20 last night, a committee of three, consisting of Fred Harper, J. D. Batch and Sam Emery, was appointed to go and do likewise for the latter lodge. A vote of thanks was unanimously extended to the visitors. Custar division, under command of Capt. J. M. Weier, attended in a body, had shared in the encomiums passed.

To one who walks past St. Paul's church at the present time, the following incident seems hardly possible: On a Sunday during the year 1810, while the service was in progress, an Indian in full dress passed up the center aisle of St. Paul's, and facing the congregation gave a fearful warwhoop, and then passed leisurely out of the building, unmolested. The above incident was related by one of the members of the Duyckinck family of this city, who had it from her grandfather, who was present when the incident occurred.—Trinity (N. Y.) Record.

Harsh purgative remedies are fast giving way to the gentle action and mild effects of Carter's Little Liver Pills. If you try them, they will certainly please you.

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DO | cloaks for the children at lowest
DO | prices ever named? Connolly Bros.

Special attractions in Handkerchiefs.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

A party of young women of Fulton, Mo., got up a coon hunting party a few days ago. The boys were rigorously excluded. The party started out with four dogs, two guns, two axes and a big basket of lunch. Early next morning the whole neighborhood started out to hunt the hunters, and found them deep in the woods, all sitting in a row on a log, crying dreadfully. They admitted that they got hopelessly lost in the woods within a couple of hours after the start.

You feel faint and weak in the stomach—no appetite. Take Simmons Liver Regulator.

Fur Muffs for Christmas.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

Zadkiel, the English planet reader, in his sixty-second annual almanac, just issued, has found a message somewhere in his stellar readings to the effect that in November of next year there will be "a death of an Empress or Queen." He might as well have said "an Empress and a Queen" at once.

For health and happiness, the boon of mankind, take Simmons Liver Regulator.

There were blooded dogs in early Egypt, and highly prized. Their names were carved on monuments which remain. One of them, his name showing his foreign origin, was called Abaikarou, a faithful transcription of the word abaikour, by which the hunting dog is designated in many of the Berber dialects.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

McGLYNN'S LIVERY AND AMBULANCE SERVICE.

Mr. Patrick McGlynn, for a long time in the offices of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad in this city, has succeeded to the livery, sale and boarding stables of his brother, the late James F. McGlynn, at 442 Summit street. The business will be conducted as heretofore, including, of course, the work of furniture moving and the ambulance service. At all times Mr. McGlynn will have on hand the neatest carriages, buggies, phaetons, etc., and proposes to turn out some of the nobbiest rigs in the city. All messages by 'phone for either a rig, the ambulance or moving vans will be promptly attended to with a promise of satisfaction guaranteed. Mr. McGlynn is a young, energetic man, and will give his entire time and attention to his business. Stables, 442 Summit street, opposite Neuhausel Bros. Phone 1035.

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Curtains and Draperies.
Holiday attraction.
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NO CHOICE.

Woonsocket, R. I., Dec. 8.—An election was held here yesterday for mayor, but resulted in no choice. The vote was as follows: Hond, dem., 786; Rotheler, rep., 628; Getchell, ind., 553; Gilbert, pro., 59. The council is largely republican.

For water brash and sour stomach take Simmons Liver Regulator.

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A world of Fancy Articles for Christmas presents. NEUHAUSEL BROS.

HARVARD ELECTION.

Boston, Dec. 8.—The Harvard Football association last night elected R. W. Trafford captain of the team for the next year.

For biliousness and headache Simmons Liver Regulator is the best medicine the world ever saw.—H. H. Jones, Macon, Ga.

Holiday Cloaks—Holiday Millinery.
Holiday Capes—Holiday Ribbons.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

SCIENTIFIC DRAW.

Philadelphia, Dec. 8.—The four-round boxing match between Prof. John H. Clark and Walter Campbell at the Ariel club last evening resulted in a draw, after some of the cleverest exhibitions ever witnessed in this city.

Hoofland's Bitters for dyspepsia.

Fine Linen Goods for the holidays.
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